

TORNADO SWEEPS OVER IOWA LEAVING DEATH IN ITS WAKE—RELIANCE IS A WINNER.

HOMES ARE WRECKED AND LIVES ARE LOST BY A FIERCE TORNADO.

Small Towns in Iowa Are Almost Wiped Off the Map By Riotous Winds—Wires Are Down in All Directions.

DES MOINES, Ia., May 26.—Buxton, a small town fifty miles southeast of Des Moines, was partially wiped out by a tornado at 8:30 o'clock today. Two persons were killed outright, one fatally injured and eight others more or less seriously injured.

VICTIMS OF WRECK.

ONE WAS KILLED AND OTHERS INJURED IN THE ACCIDENT.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., May 26.—Following are the victims of the wreck of the St. Paul flyer on the Chicago and Northwestern at Whiting, Iowa, last night.

The dead: GEORGE COLEMAN, engineer, Sioux City. Seriously injured: OSCAR LARSON, fireman, Kiron, Iowa. JOHN THOMPSON, fireman's helper, Davenport, Ia. PETER PARSONS, mail clerk, Minneapolis. ISAAC DUYHUFF, Council Bluffs, baggage man and express messenger. All the cars except the last coach were ditched. The passengers escaped with a severe shaking up. The accident was caused by a box car being blown onto the main track.

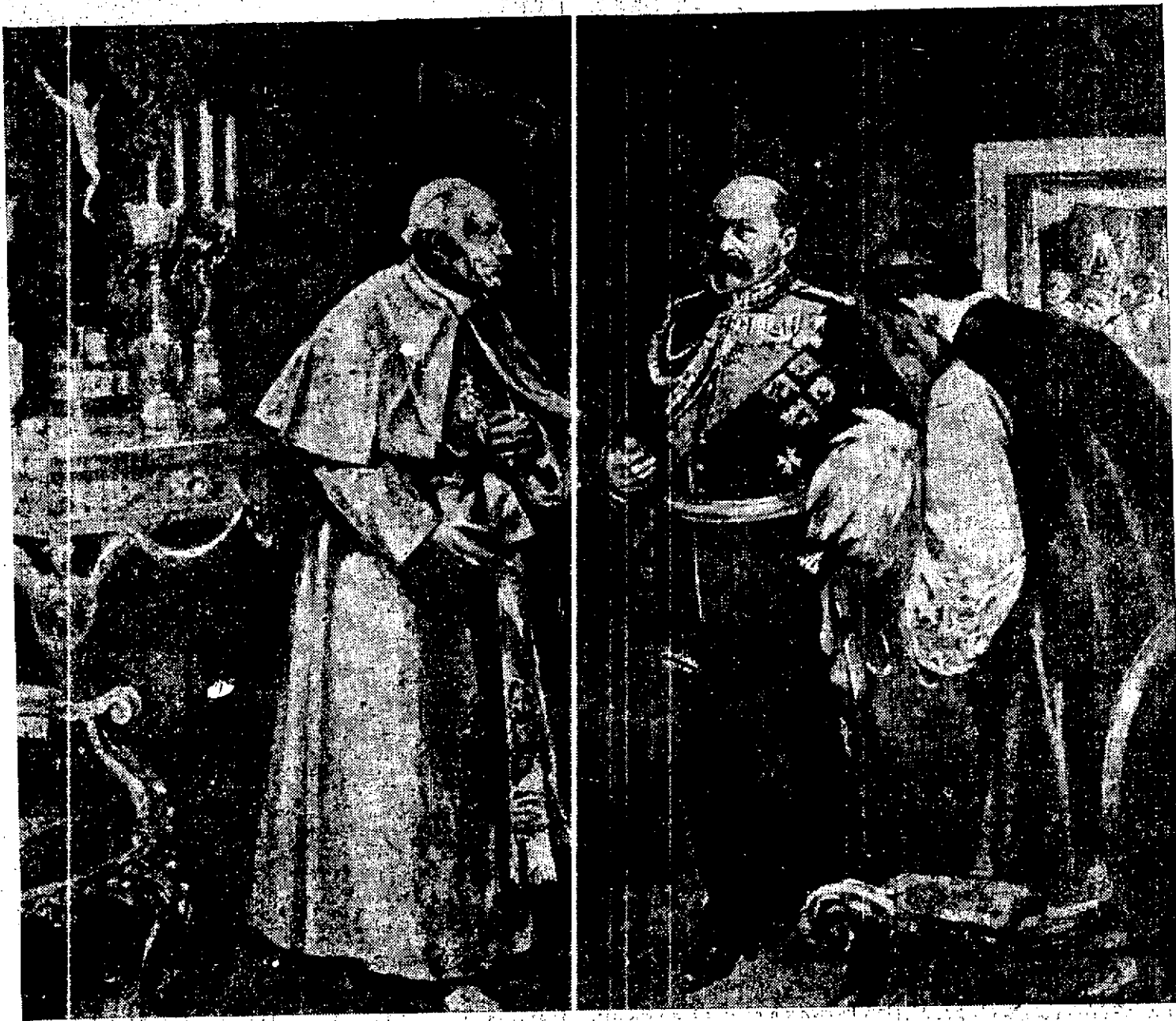
HE GOT POISON.

RIVERSIDE MAN PROSTRATED AFTER EATING VEGETABLES.

RIVERSIDE, Cal., May 26.—The family of John W. Roberts in this city is prostrated by poisoning, resulting from eating vegetables which had been sprinkled with Paris green to kill cut worms. The infant child of the family is dead and the wife and two-year-old son are dangerously ill.

STOCKTON, May 26.—The body of Walter Kendrick, who was drowned while returning from a river excursion a week ago Sunday, was found this morning at Tyler Island in Sacramento county. The inquest will be held in that county.

MEETING OF THE KING AND PONTIFF.



THE RECENT INTERVIEW BETWEEN LEO XIII AND KING EDWARD VII TOOK PLACE IN THE POPE'S PRIVATE LIBRARY. KING EDWARD ENTERED THE POPE'S PRESENCE ALONE. LEO WAS ACCOMPANIED BY HIS SECRET CHAMBERLAIN. A GLIMPSE OF THE THRONE ROOM BEYOND IS GIVEN IN THE PICTURE. THIS WAS USED AS AN ANTE CHAMBER.—FROM THE LONDON ILLUSTRATED NEWS.

PRISONER SHOT TRYING TO ESCAPE.

Soldier Boy Tried for Freedom and Met Death.

He Was Serving Time on a Charge of Desertion.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—Charles A. Hurd, a military prisoner serving a sentence for desertion from the Coast Artillery, was fatally shot by Private Charles M. Chew, while attempting to escape from the guard at Fort Mason.

Hurd died a few hours later. During the Spanish-American War, he enlisted with the Twentieth Kansas Volunteers, serving for a year and a half. He later re-enlisted in the Coast Artillery.

Hurd's birthplace is given in the army records as Hot Springs, Arkansas.

ADMINISTRATORS & CHATEL MORTGAGE AUCTION SALE.

Continued Wednesday, May 27, at 10:30 A. M. at 960 Broadway, Oakland. Carpets, trunks, jewelry and some furniture will be sold without reserve. By order of C. D. Kelley, mortgagor. J. A. MUNRO & CO.

CHOICE GROCERY AUCTION SALE.

Wednesday, May 27th, at 10:30 o'clock at 801 Jefferson street, corner Fifth street. We have received orders from Mrs. M. Appledorn to sell her stock of groceries and furniture and Stearns piano on account of retiring from business, as follows: Forty cases of canned goods, baking powders of all kinds, tea and coffees, nuts and raisins, candies and 250 worth of notions, scales, coffee mills, show cases, and three rooms of furniture, also range. All these goods must and will be sold regardless of cost. OAKLAND, ALAMEDA AND BERKELEY AUCTION CO., 839 and 811 Broadway, telephone Red 2676, J. F. Baumgarten, Auctioneer.

RELIANCE IN A FAIR TEST EIGHT THOUSAND IS FASTEST BOAT.

(The Reliance won the race today easily with 2 minutes and 5 seconds to spare.)

MATINCOCK POINT, L. I., May 26.—After a pretty thorough testing of the Reliance and the Columbia in light, uncertain airs, in which the new boat certainly showed superiority, the yachting fraternity hailed with some satisfaction this morning a nice, steady breeze of about five knots strength blowing in from the southeast. As a similar breeze held all day yesterday there was hope that it would continue today and give the third contest between the yachts some semblance of a race. It is somewhat singular that in but few of the preliminary races and cup contests for eight years has the wind been of more than ordinary strength and that the oldest of these boats, the Columbia, has never raced in a breeze of more than twenty knots velocity.

The strong southwesterly, such as well-nigh wrecked the Independence, while rounding Cape Cod two years ago, have been absent when the time came to race the cup yachts.

DAY WAS DELIGHTFUL.

The day, from a spectator's standpoint, was delightful. The sky was clear, the air cool and invigorating and there were no indications of rain. With the wind from the southeast, it looked as if the committee would send the yachts over a small equilateral course of fifteen miles, with a broad reach across the Sound to Great Captains Island, a beat of six miles to Oyster Bay and another reach to the finish. With so little windward and so much reaching, it looked like a good day for the Reliance.

Still, the loyal adherents of the older yachts seemed satisfied, although several frankly admitted their desire to see the boats sent away on a good, long thrash to windward and a run home with spinnakers set, conditions which have not been obtained so far this season.

At nine o'clock the Columbia and the Reliance started.

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ENTER A PROTEST.

SAN FRANCISCO SUGAR DEALERS HAVE NOT BEEN GIVEN A FAIR DEAL.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The secretary of the Interior received by wire today a protest from sugar dealers in San Francisco against the award of the contract for supplying sugar for the Indian service to a New York firm. The award was made because the New York bid was the lowest on its face, but the San Francisco dealers claim that with freight added it is not the lowest. The complaint will be investigated.

CALLED TO STRIKE.

EMPLOYEES OF LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY DEMAND THEIR UNION RECOGNIZED.

SALT LAKE, Utah, May 26.—A 1 the linemen, metermen, trimmers and other employees of the Utah Light and Power Company were called out on strike today. Unless a settlement is reached before night, which seems impossible, the city tonight will not only be in partial darkness, but several of the street car lines which get their power from the Utah company will be brought to a standstill. The men demand recognition of their union, an eight-hour working day and an increase in wages of from 35 to 55 cents a day.

ACCUSED OF CONSPIRACY.

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EVERY MAN IN CHICAGO MAY HAVE TO BE HIS OWN BARBER.

CHICAGO, May 26.—Eight thousand barbers of Chicago will go on strike tonight if their demands are refused. They ask that \$12 a week and that half of all over \$18 a week be paid them.

POLICE COURT HELD AT HOSPITAL.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—Department Two of the Police Court was transferred to a ward in St. Joseph's Hospital, where Judge Conlan presided at a preliminary examination in the case of Henry Lupton, alias Milton, the ex-convict, charged with assault to rob aged James Gillette. The accused was positively identified as the man who did the shooting. Lupton offered no testimony in his own behalf.

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\$7,000.—In Lakeside district, on 14th st., near Oak; a very fine home; lot 50x100; house of 9 rooms, bath, basement, attic and all latest improvements; land in this location sells at \$50 per foot, and the house could not be built for \$5,000.

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The following are a few extracts from thousands of letters received from all over the country.

Mrs. John P. Mitchell, of Prescott, Ariz., writes: "I was tortured for months by terrible pains in my head and this, together with loss of sleep, began to fret my mind. Your treatment has done wonders for me. I sleep well and those terrible pains in my head are gone. Thank God, hope has taken the place of despondency, and I have a new lease on life. I bless the day that I heard of Prof. Wellington."

Henry P. Williams, Butte, Mont., writes: "When I applied to Prof. Wellington for treatment I was a physical wreck suffering from pain in my chest and stomach and was on the verge of nervous prostration. I had tried everything and had about given up when I tried his treatment. My pains are gone, my nerves are strong and I feel like a new man. I wish I could say something to induce every invalid in the land to go and see this wonderful man."

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LET THE AFFLICTED CALL OR WRITE. Every reader of this paper who is sick with any disease is advised to call or write to this wonderful healer, addressing with stamp, PROF. WELLINGTON, 525 Thirteenth street, Oakland, Cal., stating the leading symptoms of your complaint and ask him to help you and you will undoubtedly be cured as so many others have been. Telephone James 16.

ACCIDENTALLY SHOT.

AN OAKLAND BOY MEETS WITH AN ACCIDENT IN THE NORTH.

REDDING, May 26.—Vivian Griffin met his death at Cantara, five miles above Dunsmuir from the effects of a bullet wound accidentally inflicted by J. B. DeJarnett, his companion. Griffin was nineteen years of age and the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Griffin of Oakland. Both were employed at Cantara in the



You can never tell just how hard a mule can kick by looking him in the face.

You can not judge clothing value by seeing them behind plate glass. A suit may look good to you, but you must get inside of it to know just what it feels like, and see inside of it to know how it is made. A test will tell just how good our merchandise is made and you will appreciate our values more by making a careful inspection of them.

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box factory. Griffin, DeJarnett and a third young man were amusing themselves shooting at a target with a revolver. They were all in DeJarnett's room and were firing out of the window. Griffin had just finished his round of shots and passed the weapon to DeJarnett. While the latter was carelessly handling the revolver it went off, ranging downward into his abdomen. He died internally, expiring five hours later. Before dying he freely forgave his companion, saying that it was only an accident. DeJarnett was almost crazed with grief because of the deed. The coroner's jury at the inquest held this afternoon, fully exculpated him of any intention or wrong doing.

The body of Griffin has been shipped to Oakland for burial. He was a member of Argonaut Tent No. 38, K. O. T. M. of Oakland. He lived at 562 East Eleventh street.

MARTIN WILL IS FILED FOR PROBATE.

The will of the late Daniel S. Martin, capitalist and pioneer, who died on May 18th, was filed for probate yesterday by his widow, Mrs. Pauline Martin. By the terms of the will dated June 8, 1894, the whole of Mr. Martin's estate, valued at \$100,000 is left in trust to his widow and her eldest daughter, Mrs. Mary Louise Martin. The will provides that they shall at once turn the property into cash and make the following bequests: To Pauline E. Martin, the widow, \$30,000; to her daughter, Marie Louise Martin, \$20,000; to her daughter, Katherine Martin, \$10,000; to Alfred G. Mitchell, \$5,000; to Mary Paxton Ross, daughter of William F. Herrick, \$3,000; to Florence Herrick, daughter of William F. Herrick, \$1,000; to the Ladies' Protection and Relief Society of San Francisco \$300; to the Ladies' Relief Society of Oakland \$300; to the San Francisco Protestant Orphan Asylum of San Francisco, \$200.

The will provides that after these bequests are made should there be anything left it shall go to Mrs. Martin, and also that she shall have the Martin home at 1233 Harrison street.

Mrs. Martin and her eldest daughter are named as executrices of the will. Mr. Martin makes a further clause in his will to the effect that he has no children of his own, and that anyone claiming to be his child, he or she is to get one dollar.

CLEVELAND SYMPATHIZES. NEW YORK, May 26.—Grover Cleveland has telegraphed to the committee in charge that he will be present at the mass meeting tomorrow evening in Carnegie Hall in aid of the Jews who suffered by the Kishineff massacre. Mayor Lowe will preside.

Tennis, Boxing—Baseball and Shooting.

TENNIS IN EAST OAKLAND.

CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IS NOW BEING TAKEN IN THE GAME.

Considerable interest is being shown by the members of the East Oakland Tennis Club and other tennis devotees in the coming tournament, which will take place on the club court, at Fifth avenue and Eleventh street, on Decoration Day. The tournament will be confined to singles and the contestants handicapped, so that all of the matches will be closely contested. A splendid trophy cup has been selected and will be contested for until it has been won three times by one member.

Other prizes are to be awarded to the loser in the final match and to the first and second in the consolation matches. The court has been recently improved and put in the finest condition, and it is expected that a large crowd will be present at the tournament, as all are welcome.

All of the contestants have been practicing daily for the event and especially the scratch men, Fred and Gage, who are preparing themselves so that they can overcome the handicaps imposed upon them.

NOT A CHANCE.

RELiance WILL WIN IN ONE, TWO, THREE ORDER FROM SHAMROCK.

NEW YORK, May 26.—Not a possible chance for the America's cup is conceded to the Shamrock III by a yacht owner and member of the New York Yacht Club, who has wagered \$1000 to \$1000 that the Reliance will win in one, two, three order. David Barrie, Sir Thomas Lipton's commercial manager in this country, took the bet.

Mounting, matting and poster boards in all shades also Dennison's pipe and paste in tubes at the Oakland Paper Co., 1012 Broadway.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR SUFFERING JEWS.

The entertainment given last evening by the ladies of the Philanthropic Section, Council of Jewish Women of Oakland, for the benefit of the sufferers of the Kishineff massacre, was a very successful event.

The program was exceedingly amusing, including a one-act farce entitled, "Woman's Rights," which was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lancaster. Solos were rendered by Miss Myrtle Covington and Miss Ella Reddeman.

The entertainment closed with a farce comedy entitled, "My Turn Next." The cast of characters was as follows:

Teramun Twitters (an Oakland Tactician)..... L. D. Reeb
Joe Antonio de Bulus (his professional assistant)..... J. J. Rose, Jr.
Tom Trop (a commercial traveler)..... D. L. Lyon
Famee Grubapple..... D. L. Lyon
Lydia (Twitter's wife)..... Miss Nellie Muller
Cicely (her niece)..... Miss Julia Jacobs
Peggy (Twitter's housekeeper)..... Miss Lottie Fitzgerald

The body of the mass meeting held Thursday night for the purpose of affording the citizens of Oakland an opportunity of expressing their disapproval of the course pursued by the Russian government in permitting the massacre of the Jews at Kishineff.

HEROIC WORK.

PROMPT ACTION OF POLICE OFFICERS SAVED SEVERAL LIVES.

NEW YORK, May 26.—Prompt and heroic work by policemen saved the lives of several women and children who had been caught in a burning building in Fulton street, Brooklyn, early today. When the police and firemen reached the scene, women and children were at the windows calling for help. Policeman James F. Haven entered the building and on the third floor found Mrs. Howard Murray unconscious. He carried her to a window and then succumbed, having been burned about the face and hands. The pain crazed him and he had to be placed in a strait jacket at the hospital. In the meantime police and firemen had rescued the other women and children, who were asleep when the fire broke out.

At the hospital it was said Haven could not live. Policemen McAulay and Cook were also seriously burned.

HARRISON'S MESSAGE.

CHICAGO, May 26.—Mayor Harrison, in his annual message, presented to the City Council last night, his position on the traction franchise question. He declared that the existing companies must absolutely waive any ninety-nine year claims before any franchise extension is granted, and that no value on these claims shall be allowed.

The Mayor also demands that provision for "early public ownership" shall be a feature of any extension ordinance, and that any ordinance shall be submitted to final ratification by the people under the "Public Opinion" act.

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SPORTS

Terry McGovern is Not In Condition to Fight.

MILLIONAIRE WHITNEY WILL NOT BET.



William C. Whitney, the millionaire horse-owner and the chief supporter of racing in this country, will never bet on his own horses. This is a sacred rule of his which he never breaks. He might have made a small fortune on his recent winner, "Gunfire," but he did not have a cent on the favorite. His aim is to purify the sport of horse-racing.

BRITT APPEARS ON THE STAGE.

J. EDWARD MAKES A FAIR SHOWING BEFORE THE FOOT-LIGHTS.

Jimmy Britt made his appearance in the "Naval Cadet" last night at the Central Theater in San Francisco, and scored quite a hit with the large crowd that was present. At times, he appeared to be embarrassed, but he played his part well and when his lines called for hitting somebody or throwing them down stairs, he was his element.

In the last act Britt appears on the stage in a dress suit and a silk hat, and wades through the muddy list of villains regardless of numbers or weapons without even musing his hair, which brings forth resounding cheers from the gallery. A special feature of the show is a sparring match between Britt and George Fuller during the last intermission.

GRANEY TO ACT AS REFEREE.

HE IS SELECTED IN SHORT ORDER BY THE PRINCIPALS' MANAGERS.

Last night George Weeden, Al Herford and a representative of the Yosemite Club met and, after one of the shortest meetings on record, selected Eddie Graneey as referee for the fight between Gans and Fitzgerald on Friday night.

As soon as the formalities had been disposed of Herford opened the referee question by saying that he was told that they would have to choose between Eddie Graneey and Jack Welch. The latter promptly said, "I want Graneey," and Herford replied that the selection suited him and he matter was settled without further discussion.

It is thought by many that Weeden has made a wise move by selecting Graneey after he had given a decision against his man on a rather close decision, for it is thought that Graneey might give the Brooklyn boy a slight advantage on a close decision, but Herford is not worried by any such possibility. He has a reputation for being square, and furthermore he does not expect the fight to be at all close.

Herford has an opinion that Gans will do Fitz up very much, like he has disposed of his past competitors, but intends to have Gans fight carefully and avoid the punch of which he has heard considerable. He is relying on Gans' cleverness at both long range and in fighting to make Fitz goad and Welch have been engaged to box a ten-round preliminary. Mildred McDonald and Jim Clark are to go ten rounds and the evening's entertainment will open with an eight-round bout between Monte Attell and Jimmy Carroll.

UNCLE SAM'S STAND.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 25.—Bishop Seymour, of the diocese of Springfield of the Episcopal church, in a communication published by the State Register, strongly takes the ground that the United States Government should interpose in behalf of the persecuted Jews of Russia, and demand that the Russian Government take measures to protect the outraged Jews and punish their persecutors. Bishop Seymour says that, of course, the United States should not interfere in the domestic affairs of other nations, but that this is a case where humanity is outraged and the United States, in the interest of humanity, should say, and it seems to him that this nation is strong enough to make its words a quasi command, and one which must be obeyed, that these massacres must instantly cease.

TERRY IS NOT IN WILL HAVE FUN AT THE TRAPS.

EMPIRE GUN CLUB WILL HOLD SOME OLD TIME TOURNAMENTS.

On Saturday and Sunday, May 30 and 31, the Empire Gun Club will hold one of its old-time merchandise tournaments at the blue rock flying targets at the club's trap shooting grounds at Alameda Point. Over a hundred valuable prizes are offered for the different events in the two days' shooting carnival and already there are sufficient entries to warrant the club in believing that fully 100 entries will be recorded at each day's shoot.

A special invitation has been sent to the Antlers Gun Club of this city and the Enormals of Alameda. Each of these clubs have promised to be represented by not less than sixty members each. As all of the tents from the Ingleside tournament, as well as many of the club's own canvas houses have been shipped to the grounds, there will be ample accommodations for all of the shotgun enthusiasts in this section of the country.

In the arrangement of the program the management has taken special care not to overlook the 50 per cent man and even those of lesser skill. The program of events shows that if only eight blue rocks are broken out of a possible twenty the contestants will win \$5. Special prizes will be awarded to the five shooters with the lowest averages through the two days' shooting.

A silver scoring cup is offered for the highest average shooter and \$5 each for the next two highest scores.

On Saturday the merchandise events will be "clash shooting," and on Sunday high guns distance handicap will be the program. Arrangements have been made with the Southern Railway Company to stop all trains near the shooting grounds. Taken all in all the tournament promises to be one of the best affairs of its kind ever held on this side of the bay.

GREATLY ALARMED.

By a Persistent Cough, but Permanently Cured by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy.

Mr. H. B. Burbage, a student at law in Greenville, S. C., has been troubled for four or five years with a continuous cough which, he says, "greatly alarmed me." He had been given many remedies, but in the first stage of consumption, Mr. Burbage, having seen "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy" in a newspaper, concluded to try it. Now read what he says of it: "I soon felt a remarkable change and after using two bottles of the twenty-five cent size, was permanently cured. Sold by Osgood Bros. Druggists, Seventh Street and Broadway."

NEW BILL AT THE DEWEY

AN EXCELLENT PROGRAM IS GIVEN AT POPULAR PRICES.

The Dewey Theater, Oakland's new vaudeville house, presents a bill this week that is an aggregation of stellar attractions and should be greeted with a crowded house each night. The acts are all, without exception, very clever, and the jokes are really new.

Leonard and Drake open the bill with a comedy skit entitled "The Girl and the Gee," which is very comical and they end their act with a song that introduces clever imitations. The next act is a contortion turn by March Craig, who is certainly a marvel. To all appearances he is homeless and contorts his body into positions almost beyond human credence. Adeline Birchler, a contralto vocalist of pleasing voice and presence sings several new selections in a manner which leaves no doubt of her ability.

Behan, Mascott and Belan present a skit, "The Twin Brothers," which is a decided hit and brings forth unstinted applause. The Bennett children do a pretty singing and dancing specialty. They commence their act with the sailor song from the opera "St. Patrick." Each of the girls are very clever and give an act which surpasses many of those of more mature years.

Harry Houston, Kraton the king of hoop-rollers, more than delights his audience with his mastery of the hoops and does an excellent turn. Primrose and McIntyre, the black face comedians, cannot be beat, and their turn is one succession of jokes and gag, which keep the audience convulsed with laughter.

Haywood and Haywood present a little skit, which gives them an opportunity to display their versatility in singing, dancing and imitations on the piano. One of the features of the latter is the playing of Cavalleria Rusticana in rag-time. The bill concludes with new moving pictures, which are direct from New York and London.

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- Eggs, strictly fresh, per doz., 20c
- Cond. Milk, Rose brand, can, 10c
- Cheese, best Cal., per lb., 15c
- Tomatoes, 3 cans 25c
- Salmon, 4 cans 25c
- Jellies, home-made, 2 gals., 15c
- Klingberg Soups, per can, 10c
- Try our Tomato and Club House Sausages, best ever made.

A COMMON ERROR

THE SAME MISTAKE IS MADE BY MANY OAKLAND PEOPLE.

It's a common error To plaster the aching back, To rub with liniments rheumatic joints. When the trouble comes from the kidneys, Doan's Kidney Pills cure all kidney ills. And are endorsed by Oakland citizens.

D. D. Davis, salesman in dress goods department of Salingers department store, residence 1804 Broadway, Alameda, says: "If pain across the back which clung to me persistently for at least twelve months is any indication of kidney complaint, then I had it. Some three years ago just such an attack occurred and knowing what I suffered when I noticed in an Oakland paper that Doan's Kidney Pills were recommended, I bought a box and I went to a drug store for a box and tried it. If the results obtained from the treatment had not been effective I never would have gone to my way to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to personal friends. I know of more than one who has used Doan's Kidney Pills and who are just as emphatic in their endorsement as I."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

STOCK MARKET

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—The following quotations up to noon today are given by Bolton, de Ruyster & Co. of 49 California street:

| MISCELLANEOUS BONDS. | Bid. | Asked. |
|---------------------------|---------|---------|
| Los Angeles Ry. 5% coupon | 113 | 117 |
| Oakland City 5 1/2% | 113 | 116 |
| Spring V Wat. 6% | 107 | 107 1/2 |
| Spring V Wat. 3 mgt. 4% | 100 1/2 | 101 |
| Spring V Wat. 8 mgt. 4% | 100 1/2 | 100 1/2 |
| Contra Costa | 58 1/2 | 59 1/2 |
| WATER STOCKS. | | |
| Spring Valley | 83 1/2 | 83 1/2 |
| POWDER STOCKS. | | |
| Giant | 78 1/2 | 74 1/2 |
| Vigorito | 3 1/2 | 4 |
| SUGAR STOCKS. | | |
| Hana Plant Co. | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| Haw Com Sug Co. | 47 | 48 |
| Makaweli Sug Co. | 26 | 26 |
| Onion Sug Co. | 23 1/2 | 24 |
| GAS AND ELECTRIC STOCKS. | | |
| Cal Light & Pow Co. | 3 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| Equit Gas Light Co. | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| Met Elec Light Co. | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| Pac Gas Imp Co. | 39 1/2 | 39 1/2 |
| S F Gas & Elec Co. | 85 1/2 | 85 1/2 |
| Gas Cert's | 4 1/2 | 4 1/2 |
| MISCELLANEOUS STOCKS. | | |
| Alaska P Assn | 15 1/2 | 15 1/2 |
| Oceanic S S | 8 1/2 | 8 1/2 |
| Pac Aux Fire Alarm Co | 2 1/2 | 2 1/2 |
| SALES. | | |
| 1 Spring V Wat. | 83 1/2 | 83 1/2 |
| 15 Spring V Wat. | 83 1/2 | 83 1/2 |
| 50 Spring V Wat. | 83 1/2 | 83 1/2 |
| 5 Giant, S-90 | 76 | 76 |
| 50 Giant | 74 1/2 | 74 1/2 |
| 20 Giant | 74 1/2 | 74 1/2 |
| 20 Franklin Co. | 47 1/2 | 47 1/2 |
| 40 Onomac | 22 1/2 | 22 1/2 |
| 2000 Pac Elec Ry. | 112 | 112 |

H. K. BELDEN IS ILL.

Henry K. Belden is dangerously ill with pneumonia at his home, corner Lake and Oak streets. Several physicians are in attendance. The theater party which was to have been given last night in San Francisco by William Russell, as a compliment to Mr. Belden and his fiancée, Miss Charlotte Laws of Sacramento, has been indefinitely postponed. A large dinner was to have been given as a compliment to the young couple has also been postponed.

A Guaranteed Cure for Piles.

Itching, Bleeding, or Protruding Piles. Your doctor will refund your money if FAZO OINTMENT fails to cure you, 50 cents.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Prices of current soon to be reduced. For estimates on wiring ring James 2481.

Constant Electric Co., J. E. Morris, manager, 277 Telegraph avenue.

Round Trip to Chicago on June 4 or 5.

\$12.50. See G. T. Forsyth, Division Freight and Passenger Agent, 408 Town street, Oakland, Cal.

I. O. O. F. Building.

Corner Eleventh and Franklin streets. H. Schellhaas' Furniture Store.

The Boy and His Eyes

If your boy is slow with his studies or incorrect in his lessons, or if he complains that he cannot see clearly, that he has dull pain in the eyes, that he is unable to read, or that he is subject to headaches, or if he looks at objects askance or with partly closed eyes, he is suffering from some defect of vision. Bring him to us for a thorough examination of his eyes. We will find the trouble and remedy it with glasses.

E. H. NOE

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856 BROADWAY, COR. SEVENTH ST.
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The Heritage of Weak Eyes

Take care of your eyes when young for when old you will find them the greatest blessing you could possess. Observe the elderly people around you and notice their condition. In doing so you will find a warning or strong advice. See us about your eyes.

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THE LATEST NEWS

TRUTH ABOUT KILLING.

AWFUL RIDE IN AUTO.

SAVED PEACE OFFICERS.

Ten Thousand People Are Homeless in Kishineff.

BERLIN, May 25.—The German Jewish Relief Society has sent an agent to Kishineff, who reports that seven hundred houses were destroyed, six hundred shops sacked and that about ten thousand people are homeless as a result of the recent massacre.

Forty of the victims were killed outright during the massacre, eighty-four were seriously wounded and five hundred were slightly injured.

The number of persons affected through losing positions or otherwise, is estimated at 20,000, mostly belonging to the poorer classes.

RELIANCE WINS.

(Continued from page 1.)

Constitution lay moored in Hempstead harbor, while the Reliance was at an anchorage at City Island. The crew of the Constitution were about early in the morning and before 8 o'clock the handsails were sent aloft in ships. The Columbia crew were not far behind, and a lively brush it was between them in hoisting the great mainsails. The Columbia crew won out by a few minutes.

EXCURSIONS.
The forenoon was well advanced when the first of the excursion fleet appeared. About the same time the Reliance was observed near the shore of the mainland, under sails. Soon the excursion fleet began to appear in large numbers and some lively bursts of speed were made by the big steam yachts in their rush for advantageous positions at the starting line. Following these was a long line of small sailing craft and the regatta committee boat, the Privateer.

The wind increased and at 10 o'clock had freshened to nine knots.

THE GUN FIRED.
MATINCOCK POINT, L. I., May 25. The preliminary gun in the race was fired at noon and fifteen minutes later the starting gun boomed. The starting, unofficial time, was:

Reliance, 12:15:03.
Columbia, 12:15:03.
Constitution, 12:15:28.

STARTING STAKE.
The Columbia turned the starting stake at 1:53:05. The boats started over the course for the second time with a strong, puffy wind. The boats turned the first mark on the second round as follows:

Reliance, 2:12:15.
Constitution, 2:15:20.

The Columbia was still some distance astern.

CROSSED THE LINE.
After the start the Constitution took up her position on the weather of the two other boats and for the first five minutes of the race held the new boat in good shape.

All three of the boats went across the line on the starboard tack with number one jib topsails set, the first being the Reliance.

When opposite Oak Neck the Reliance was just ahead of the Constitution and in a few minutes had established herself in the lead. The two boats, however, indulged in a tugging match which took them well inshore, while the Columbia kept off further into the sound. All three boats were tugging very fast, but from the shore it looked as if the Reliance was dropping her competitors, although not as rapidly as in the other two races.

OFFICIAL TIME.
The official time of the race was as follows:

Start. Finish. Elapsed Time.
Reliance .. 12:15:00 3:12:11 2:57:11
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GEORGIA PRESS.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—The San Francisco Press Club and the California Promotion Committee are making arrangements to entertain the members of the Georgia Press Association, who will arrive in this city on the morning of June 14, on the annual excursion trip of the association. The party will stay in San Francisco two days and will then go to Los Angeles, returning to San Francisco on their return trip home, via the Northwest. The association comprises all the newspaper publishers in Georgia and the present annual trip is the longest ever taken by the organization.

WILL REMOVE ISLAND.
SACRAMENTO, May 25.—The War Department has let a contract to a company of California capitalists for the removal of what is known as Chain Island, at the confluence of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers at Colusa, Cal. The island consists of 182 acres of land and is considered an obstruction to navigation.

A. O. F. BALL.
A grand entertainment and ball will be given at Fraternity Hall, corner Seventh and Perilla streets, Thursday evening, May 25, for the benefit of Court Athens and Athens Circle, A. O. F. An excellent program will be rendered and an enjoyable evening is promised.

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Vivid Description of the Great Race out of Paris.

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"As the cars fell—there is no other word for it—down the steep slopes and approached the narrow bridge, jumped with a bound across and flew with a scream up the rise beyond, you could see by the twitch of the wheels, not half of which was caused by the road, how agonizing was the strain on the driver, forced to make his way through the endless uncontrolled crowds which littered the roads from Paris to Bordeaux."

"Much as one may esteem the broad-minded view of the French Government in encouraging the motor industry, the government neglect to protect the course was criminal and nothing else. Though on the stretch of 8 kilos, between Chartres and the first village there were from 500 to 1000 people and from 1000 to 1500 car racers for providing for the safety of the public were either non-existent or of a ridiculous character."

Mr. Pennell then describes the scene at the headquarters at Chartres and the appearance and often hysterical demeanor of those who were out of the race, and says:

"Further up the street was another car with a huge gash in the tire of one wheel and the other tire down, the whole twisted and bent, in the hands of a dozen workmen. Walking away therefrom was a being with part of a cup over one ear and part of a pair of goggles over the other, plastered with mud and oil, in the rags and tatters of what had once been a suit of clothes. It opened its mouth and said in a voice choked with tears and in the American language: 'I don't mind breaking down again, but it makes me so very angry.'"

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She heard the police and so did he. When they heard the officers, he commanded her to be quiet, but she suddenly gripped his right wrist so that he could not shoot. He could not move or struggle with her through fear of attracting the attention of the officers, who were reaching the barn.

Mrs. Leasia appeared overjoyed when she realized that she was safe from her infuriated captor. She was forced to accompany him.

CORONER IS ASKED ABOUT MISSING MAN.

Coroner Mehrmann has received a communication from Daniel E. Cook-

ley of 245 Townsend street, San Francisco inquiring as to whether or not the body of Raymond Curley, who disappeared from his home in San Francisco May 16th, has been brought to the morgue.

The communication states that the missing man left home in a very weak condition as a result of an operation performed a short time ago and with the knowledge that he had but a short time to live, so the writer of the communication believes that he might have committed suicide. The records at the morgue show that no one by the name of Curley or anyone answering his description has been brought to the establishment nor has the disappearance been reported to the local police department.

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SPECIAL GRAND JURY TRYING TO GET AT BOTTOM OF MILLER CASE.

JACKSON, Ky., May 25.—With the special Grand Jury still sitting in its efforts to indict the assassins of Marcus, Cockrell and Cox, the members of the State militia, sent here to preserve order, are scouring the country in an attempt to get together the witnesses and bring in those indicted yesterday afternoon. The Grand Jury will ask for the enforced attendance of Captain John Patrick, Moses Felder and Tom Cockrell.

Captain Patrick is alleged to have witnessed the assassination of James Cockrell and Felder to have made an affidavit stating that certain officials had hanged him and three other men to assassinate Marcus.

Tom Cockrell is wanted to tell about the assassination of Dr. Cox, being stated that he knows the names of all the men who were on the scene at the time.

The mountaineers last night made an attack upon the soldiers and there was a council of war today to ask for more troops. It is reported by the press that Curtis Jett has made a confession on that implicates prominent persons.

Commonwealth Attorney Byrd says he will call the case against Jett and Wednesday morning and try him no later than Friday.

Extra precautions have been taken to protect Belvin J. Eyer. He is guarded constantly by a strong detachment. His testimony before the Grand Jury caused the indictment of Jett and Jett's testimony was a hostile move made against him yesterday in the court-house.

CLOSING EXERCISES AT ST. JOSEPH'S.

The closing exercises of St. Joseph's Academy were held yesterday at the Academy Hall at the corner of Fifth and Jackson streets. The hall was crowded to its utmost capacity by the parents and friends of the pupils, who evidenced their appreciation of the splendid efforts of the really talented youths by frequent bursts of applause.

The gold medal for elocution was awarded to Charles E. McGary of the academic department, and silver medals were won by George Smith for Christian doctrine and Alvan Bookmeyer of the preparatory department for elocution.

The following excellent program was rendered:

PART FIRST.
Music, March, Academy Orchestra; address, Louis P. Degener; recitations, Alvin Bookmeyer, Joseph Bourdais, Mary Ann, Dorothy, Charles E. McGary; choir, dialogue, "The Teacher and the Pupil," A. Mahoney, R. Olson; music, violin duet, "Bohemian Girl," James Lee, Paul Deloit; concert recitation, "The Seminoles Reply," preparatory department; vocal duet, "Fairy Bells," Percy and Frank Elliott; recitation, German, G. Colson; wave Davis; vocal duet, "Whispering Hope," Ray Biggs, Richmond O'Connor; recitation, Frank Elliott, Beverly Lundy, C. Rankin; dialogue, "Counting the Chickens Before They're Hatched," Charles and Victor Westenberg, Juan Vasquez; vocal chorus, "Free America," choir; concert recitation, "Balkans," intermediate department; vocal solo, "Convent Bells," Gustav; Colson. Music under the direction of Professor Louis von der Mehden.

PART SECOND.
Music, "Gaviote," Academy Orchestra; recitations, Redmond Mahony, Ray Biggs; violin solo, selection from "Faust," Richard Willitt; song, "Swanee River," chorus; dialogue, German, C. Blumenthal, F. Ehrhardt, N. Penton; recitations, Charles McGary, Richard Willitt; piano solo, Leroy McCarthy; vocal solo, "Beautiful Moonlight," P. J. Elliott, G. Colson; recitations, French, George E. Bisset; Spanish, Marcus Proto; violin solo, "Curfew of Venice," Charlie Blumenthal; concert recitation, "Waterloo," Academic class; song, "Farewell to Old St. Joseph's," choir; recitation, Paul Deloit, E. McNamara; music, waltz, orchestra; dialogue, C. McGary, R. Mahony, R. Willitt, Morton Reynolds; all-athletic exercises, Junior for diploma; Distribution of awards and testimonials.

This will be the last entertainment at the old Academy, as the Brothers intend to make an immediate transfer to the new academy at Perilla Hill, Berkeley, where studies will be resumed Monday, August 5th.

STRIKERS STILL OUT.
The aspect of the laborers' lockout and strike remained unchanged up till this afternoon. A close tab is being kept on certain men being sent to this city by San Francisco employment agencies, there being a number of strangers employed within the past few days on the mole at Emeryville and elsewhere.

GIVEN A LIGHT SENTENCE.
BERLIN, May 25.—The state

TRIUMPHANT OVER FEMALE DISEASES!
PAINE'S CELYERY COMPOUND
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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NOTES.
WEST TOWNMENT TO BE HELD IN ST. FRANCIS DE SALES MALL.

The regular meeting of the club. The dining-room was entirely in red and green, the walls carrying a most artistic decoration of maiden-hair with red and white. The whole lighted with scarlet shaded candelabra. An interesting part of the luncheon was the composing of lines in verse by the guests, the prize going to Mrs. D. A. A. The regular meeting of the club followed, the guests being: Mrs. Henry Stenhouse, Miss Carrie Nicholson, Miss Belle Nicholson, Mrs. Albert A. Long, Mrs. Clara Hampton, Mrs. W. S. Gage, Mrs. Eva Longworth, Mrs. D. A. Proctor, Miss Adah Brown, Miss Alma Brown, Miss Mabel Gage, Mrs. George Gross, Mrs. Frank Watson, and Mrs. Steinhilber.

MRS. LARKEY AS HOSTESS.
Mrs. A. S. Larkey will be the hostess tomorrow at a large card party, to be given in honor of Miss Mabel Gage, whose wedding is scheduled for June 1st. The receiving party will include only Miss Gage's bridesmaids, and the decorative scheme will be in pink and green, four-leaved clovers everywhere being used.

AN ALAMEDA AFFAIR.
A very pleasant affair in the Enclinal City was the party given last Saturday evening by Miss Juanita David at her home, 1210 Pacific avenue. Miss David is the salutatorian of the graduating class of the Alameda High School, and the rooms were artistically decorated in the class colors, red and green. Among the guests were: Miss Grace Schmitt, Miss Hattie Taylor, Miss Whitford, Miss Hattie Taylor, Miss Alice, Miss Edith White, Miss Mary Connor, Dan H. Knox, Herbert Brown, Jesse Robinson, Thomas Reever, John Thomas, Lewis Durkee, Russell Deane.

ORANGE A LUNCHEON.
Miss Adah and Miss Alma Brown gave a luncheon on Saturday at the Palace grill, the guest of honor being Miss Mabel Gage. The table was elaborately decorated in shades of the valley, and following the luncheon the guests witnessed a performance of "The Stubbards of Geraldine." The guests included: Miss Albert A. Long, Mrs. Fred Stoop, Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Mrs. Frank McLaughlin, Mrs. George E. De Golia, Miss Carrie Nicholson and Miss Belle Nicholson.

EDUCRE CLUB.
Mrs. Wolkman Havens entertained the Monday Evening Club at luncheon yesterday at "Thorndale," preceding

FOR COMFORT in warm weather—the clothes bearing this famous trademark
Outing Suits in cool home-spuns, serges, and flannels. BENJAMIN Waistcoats in linen duck, pique, and flannels.
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Eleventh & Broadway.

WITH THE MEN WHO LABOR.
SOME POINTS ABOUT THE LABOR UNIONS OF ALAMEDA COUNTY.

There is a growing feeling among labor men that a capable leader of the labor movement is wanted in Oakland at the present time. Not that the movement is at present without many able and earnest and conscientious men; but most of these men have to see to earning their livelihoods and that of their families. Work now done for the cause by them is purely a labor of love. A leader who would devote his whole time to keeping the labor forces in line might perform the same duties in relation to the new labor council as a chairman, or business agent, or both do to the various locals. To keep constantly in touch with and in advance of the ideas of so intelligent and progressive a class of men as there is in Oakland would be no more strenuous and would be sure to take up all of any man's time. The proposition requires a man of tact, resolution, possessing the courage of his convictions and not afraid to express them. The unions expect that the man of occasion will rise up as has been the case in conflicts that have passed. Who shall he be?

RAILWAY MEN.
Speaking of the labor conference and devising a simpler form of government for the unions of the county, H. G. Walker, secretary of the American Brotherhood of Railway Employees and a delegate to the conference, reported today: "The conference will, in my opinion, result in drawing the unions of the county closer together, rendering them more effective in their work and equipping them with their own labor situation."

Being an industrial union in the brotherhood is not perhaps so well known to united labor as the magnitude and importance of the movement, and a few words as to its history may not be out of place here. The United Brotherhood of Railway Employees was founded at Roseburg, Ore., in 1901 by five railway employees, namely, a track foreman, a truckman, an engineer, an operator and a conductor. Afterward, the order began to branch southward establishing a division here and a division there as opportunity presented itself. In a short time it was found necessary to establish headquarters in San Francisco and it was then that the real work of organization began. There are now thirteen different branches or divisions within the brotherhood under the following heads: trackmen, bridge men, freight handlers, clerks, telegraphers, switchmen, brakemen, firemen, conductors and engineers. Each of these divisions has in its membership from one to a dozen of the scores of diverse occupations necessary to the running of a railway. For instance the trackmen's division includes in its membership, surveyors, gang foremen, section foremen, track walkers, section foremen, men in the construction and repair of the road and the telegraphers' division in-

GARBAGE QUESTION.
MATTER IS REFERRED TO THE ORDINANCE AND JUDICIARY COMMITTEE.

At the meeting of the City Council last night the following preamble and resolution was introduced by Councilman Elliott, and referred to the Ordinance and Judiciary Committee: "Whereas, It has come to our attention that the judges of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda have expressed the opinion that the contract heretofore entered into between the City of Oakland and the Pacific Incinerating Company is void; and Whereas, If said contract is void it will be incumbent upon this Council to provide ways and means for the disposal of the garbage of the city; now, therefore, be it

YOUNG WOMEN ELECT OFFICERS.

The Associated Young Women of the Oakland High School held a meeting yesterday, at which the following officers for the new school term were elected: President, Ethel Johnson; vice president, Estelle Dunbar; secretary, Catherine Sturtevant; corresponding secretary, Elizabeth Heald; assistant corresponding secretary, Mattie Zander; chairman athletic committee, Grace Stalder; chairman parliamentary law committee, Jean Booth; chairman welcome committee, Ophelia Sharps; chairman improvements committee, Edna Whitney.

The committee on improvements, of which Miss Ester Dunbar is chairman, is planning an entertainment to take place on St. Francis de Sales Mall, for the purpose of raising funds to furnish a lunch room for the girl students of the high school. The entertainment promises to be an excellent one, as every pupil in Oakland is expected to take an active interest in making it a success. An entertaining farce will be given and both the boys' and girls' glee clubs will take part.

STRIKERS ARRESTED.

MONTREAL, May 26.—Nearly fifty arrests have been made of strikers who were concerned in the attacks upon the cars on St. Catherine and St. Dennis streets, Sunday afternoon. Among the men arrested was Business Agent Aub of the local union, who is charged with intimidation. Instructions were given by Attorney General Archambault that bail was to be accepted for any one arrested in connection with the strike until they had appeared in court. As a result, yesterday being a legal holiday, the cells of the police station have been fairly full. Those arrested will be brought up this morning in the police court.

RAILROADS TO CONSOLIDATE.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 25.—The Southern Railway and the Mobile and Ohio Railway will consolidate July 1. If there is no hitch in the present plans of the arrangement of those roads, says the Constitution. This information has not yet been officially announced, but it is learned on good authority, says the Constitution, that such is the intention of the controlling interests of the two railways. The Southern has owned a majority of the stock of the Mobile and Ohio for some time.

cludes the train dispatchers, those on operators, signal men, towermen and electric and pneumatic uncoupling system men. Each of these different divisions and departments have organized themselves into different bodies, each having a chairman and secretary. The Brotherhood now ranks as one of the most powerful industrial organizations in the country. An indication of the extent to which it has grown in its short life of two years may be obtained when it is stated that the number of the last member initiated in Oakland was 1008, the initiation having been numbered consecutively from one up. Of course, during these two years a number had to leave the city going East or North or dropping out, but the magnitude of the total number is sufficient to give an indication of the popularity of the organization of the railroad men. In San Francisco the number has reached 1500, and in Sacramento 2500.

THE CARPENTERS.
Nearly all of the members of Carpenters' Union No. 34, who, at the suggestion of the president, met at a work stoppage each Saturday, are now in the last few days of the strike. Several men were at work were completed, and their being nothing else for them to do here, places had to be taken elsewhere. It is known that but a few men could have been provided for here; at all events they would have been subject of being on a Saturday half-holiday will likely be taken up to the various locals, or, at all events, an early meeting.

THE LABORERS.
The prospects of a settlement of the laborers' lock-out are as remote today as they ever were. The men have been in standing together, but the majority already secured other positions. A TRIBUNE reporter was informed today that laborers out of work can learn of jobs by calling at the headquarters, 408 Eighth street, irrespective of the "Union Company." The men are not satisfied with the position after thinking it over. It is the opinion of the labor leaders that it might be for the benefit of the directors, in more ways than one, if it were quired, more closely into the matter of the lock-out.

FEDERATED TRADES.
The following has been culled from the official minutes of the last meeting of the Federated Trades Council: A communication was received from the retail clerks' union requesting the assistance of the council in uniting the dry goods stores of Oakland, none of which union except Toys and the Lacer House. The council appointed a committee consisting of Messrs. Kietzler, Higuera and Pake.

A letter was received from the shingle weavers' union of Tacoma, stating that the product of the St. Paul and Tacoma Lumber Company and the Fir West Lumber Company is unfair, and requesting all who use or handle shingles to look for the union stamp, which consists of a circle containing the inscription "S. W. Union 3831, Wash." The matter was referred to the carpenters', longshoremen and tallymen's unions.

An appeal from the paper box makers' union of Batavia, N. Y., for financial assistance was read. The union moral assistance was requested. The union consisted of eight months ago by the B. Rowell Paper Box Company for organizing. The appeal was referred to drug clerks and other affiliates. Send contributions to Mrs. Nell Hanley, 19 Bank street, Batavia, N. Y.

On motion a committee of three, consisting of Messrs. Kietzler, Victory and Grow, was appointed to visit the garment workers' union on Friday night for the purpose of giving them necessary instruction.

RAILWAY TRAINMEN.

BROTHERHOOD WILL BE READY WHEN STRIKES ARE CALLED.

DENVER, Colo., May 26.—The Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, which is in national convention in this city, has voted to increase its protection fund from \$100,000 to \$300,000. This fund is used when strikes are called by that body. The provision of the constitution limiting the payment of the committees by local and grand lodges has been changed so as to give the power to increase the pay and also settle with the committees in less time than formerly required. The convention is considering the adoption of a rule making it compulsory upon the order to pay insurance claims, based upon death or total disability, within thirty days instead of sixty days as at present. A number of delegates at H. G. A. Hayes of Victoria, Ont., is reported in a serious condition at St. Joseph's Hospital. He is suffering from pneumonia, but whose condition is causing no alarm at present, are: W. J. Kelso of Springfield, Mass.; Thomas Cregan of Farnham, Pa.; Geo. E. Lewis of Ashland, Wis., and W. N. Smith of Gulf Port, Mass., have the grip in mild form. T. Cowles of Charlottesville, Va., and John Matthews of Columbus, Ga., are laid up from attacks of heart failure.

AFTER THE BOSSES.

ITALIAN MAFIA HAS A PLAN TO DO AWAY WITH THEM.

DUNKIRK, N. Y., May 26.—A plot formulated by an Italian Mafia secret society to do away with objectionable factory foremen in the large country has been disclosed, and as a result every Italian employed by a number of manufacturing concerns here have been unnaturally disturbed. The discharge of the men caused by advice received from officials of a large plant at Dunkirk, where the Mafia of the Mafia is reported by memorandum of the superintendent by a friendly Italian who was aware of the plot, and communicated with every big concern in the country employing Italian labor. The Mafia members are believed to exist in all the larger cities. This information led the officials of the large plant here to investigate an American workman a short time ago, and they are said to have the evidence of every Italian employed by them. The Mafia are each excited and trouble is feared.

NEWARK PERSONAL NOTES.
CHILDREN WILL CAST BOOKS ASIDE—PREPARING FOR RURAL DELIVERY.

NEWARK, May 26.—Mrs. John Dugan is so far recovered as to be able to ride out and she attended the school children's festival at Watkins Hall on Thursday night last. The public school closes for the summer vacation May 29th. Mr. Buzacot took a party out in his steam launch on Sunday last. Mr. and Mrs. Will Dugan and several of the boarders at the Newark House were among the guests.

Miss Emma Jarvis took a trip to San Francisco on Friday last, returning Sunday. Pearl Johnson died in San Jose last week from a sudden and sharp attack of pneumonia. The young girl was formerly a pupil in the Newark public school and was a great favorite with her young companions owing to her gentle and amiable character. There will be no more funerals in this section if all reports are true. Mr. Coram says that the crop upon the company's land will be far above the average.

It is said that Mr. Spencer stands at the head of those who took the civil service examination and will probably be selected for the rural delivery carrier which is soon to be established here. There are rumors that the large laundry plant of J. Graham is to be removed from Newark to San Leandro, which town has offered a large bonus to induce the change—nothing is decided in the matter as yet. Mrs. George Graham is on the road to recovery and will soon, it is hoped, be among her friends once more. Her twin daughters are with relatives in San Jose.

JEWS LEAVING.

BERLIN, May 26.—A special dispatch from St. Petersburg to the Lokal Anzeiger confirms the news that the Jews in that city are in fear that similar outbreaks may occur in the Russian capital during the celebration of the 20th anniversary of the foundation of St. Petersburg, which will be held on May 29. The Jews who are possessed of means are fleeing to go to Finland, while the poorer Jews are panic-stricken. The authorities hope to avoid rioting by diverting the attention of the masses with free shows at theaters and other entertainments.

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a running ear and imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and the tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous services. We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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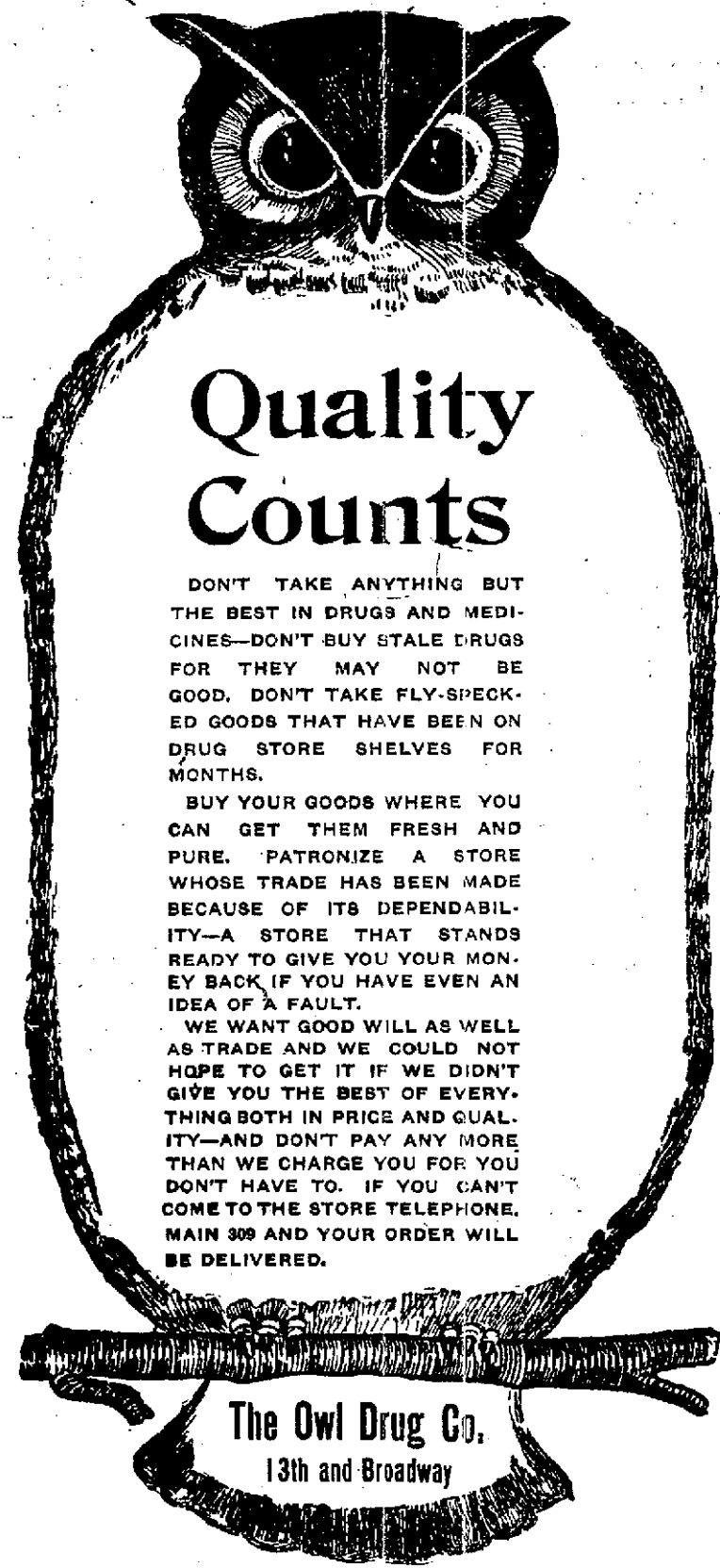
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The Owl Drug Co.
13th and Broadway

HOWARD SAID HE BLUSHED WITH SHAME.

Withdraws His Saloon Amendment Regarding Women Visitor.

Will See That the Police Carry Out the License Law.

Councilman Howard at last night's meeting of the City Council informed that body that the police were now on the track of certain saloonkeepers who were guilty of breaches of the ordinance regulating the sale of liquor at present in force in this city.

At the same time Mr. Howard withdrew the amendment to the new ordinance he had moved at the previous meeting providing against the frequenting of saloons by women and minors.

Mr. Howard said in part: "I withdraw my amendment because the subject can better be touched in another way. Growing out of this discussion, I have here a list of saloons, the proprietors of which are avoiding, evading and breaking the ordinance already in existence and not passed by this Council, and I am informed by the Chief of Police that this matter is receiving his attention."

"I blush with shame when I recollect that a police official came before the license committee and said that the ordinance with regard to these particular kinds of houses was not enforced because the previous Council did not wish it enforced, but backed by the sentiment of this Council the chief has taken hold of the matter and has furnished me with a list of twelve places where the ordinance is evaded or infringed and they are going to be corrected."

"It seems to me that when we enter into a contract with a man this Council ought to see that the terms of the contract as expressed by the ordinance are enforced. I am very glad that the police have taken the matter in hand and are to see that no subterfuge or evasion is practiced."

The ordinance was passed to print.

MILITARY COURT.

NEW YORK, May 24.—The chief officials of the district military court of this city have started for Kishineff, cables the Odessa correspondent of the World. This is taken to indicate that the government means to try those persons who took part in the massacre before a military tribunal, which, alone has power to inflict capital punishment.

"Force"

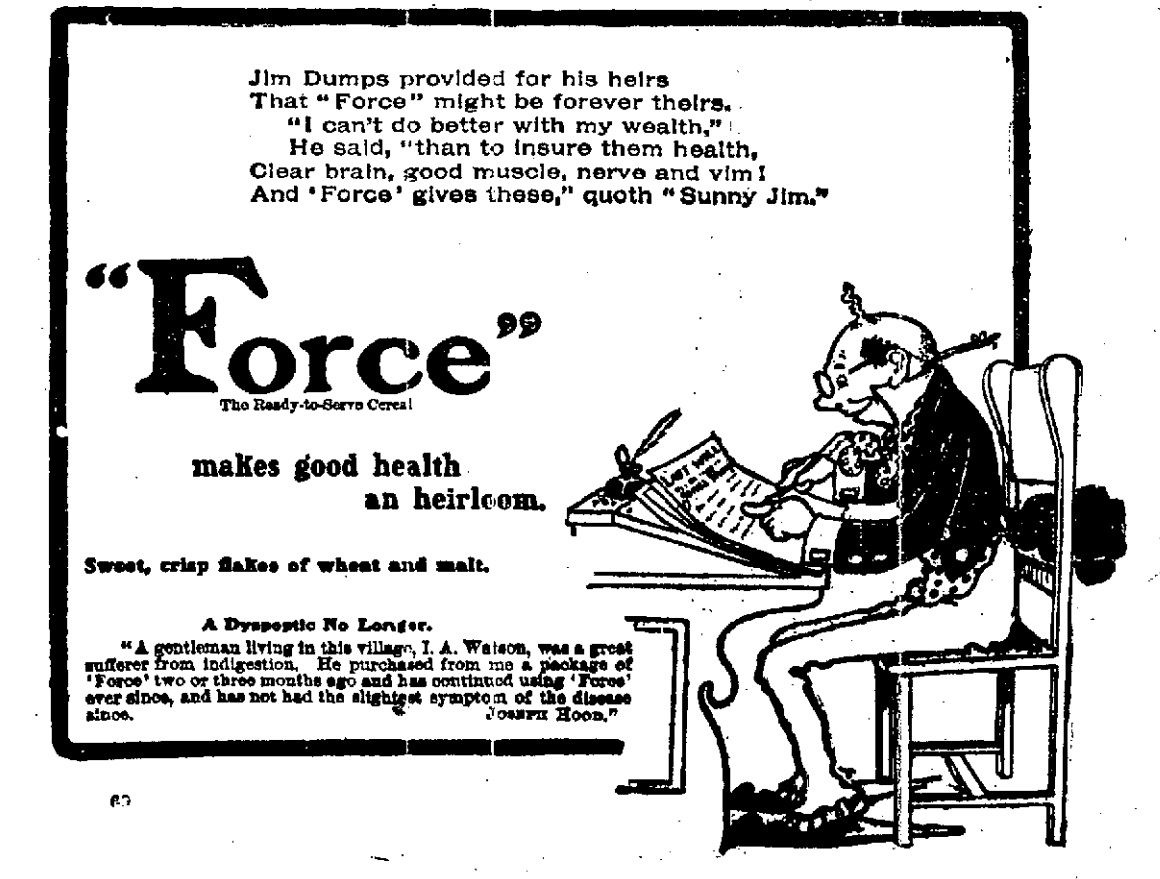
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Sweet, crisp flakes of wheat and malt.

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JOHN A. HOWARD GIVES LIGHT ON BLACKBOARD.

MANAGER BRITTON GIVES CHEAP LIGHT TO THE CITY.

In awarding the contract for lighting the city for the ensuing year the City Council at last night's meeting decided upon accepting the offer of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company for what is known as an all night and every night schedule in place of the hourly schedule at present in vogue. The company's bid was \$7.25 per light per month. The following communication, dated May 25th, which was accompanied by a certified check for \$7000, contained the terms in detail:

"Answering your advertised notice for proposals for lighting the streets and public buildings of the city of Oakland for one year from July 1, 1908, the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company submits the following proposal or bid under said advertised notice and under the specifications therein set forth:

"First—For lighting of streets upon the schedule as set forth in subdivision No. 3, providing for a price per hour per lamp, the sum of 3 6-10 cents per lamp per hour.

"Second—Under the moonlight schedule as provided under said subdivision No. 3, the sum of \$6.25 per lamp per month.

"Third—Under the schedule of said subdivision No. 3, providing for all night lighting, the sum of \$7.25 per lamp per month.

"Fourth—For the lighting of public buildings as called for in subdivision No. 4, the following rates and prices, to wit:

"For each electric lamp of 2000 candle power the rates herein provided for the same character of lighting as in the bids for lighting of the public streets, for incandescent lamps in public buildings at the rate of 5 cents per 1000 watts by meter measurement and or gas at the rate of 80 cents per 1000 cubic feet, meter measurement.

"In the matter of street lights under the moonlight schedule all extra hours other than those provided for in the standard moonlight schedule at the rate of 3 6-10 cents per lamp per hour.

"In the bid herein tendered for all night lighting the city of Oakland shall not reduce the number of hours hereinafter provided for but shall be entitled to a rebate for such lamps as for any cause may not be lighted at the rate of 2 cents per lamp per hour. The rebate to be based on the number of lamps reported 'out' in each month by the police in the city of Oakland.

"The moonlight schedule herein referred to is understood to be the lighting according to the following: All lamps shall be lighted one hour after sunset, and one hour before moonset, and shall be extinguished one hour before sunrise and one hour after moonrise; no lamps to be lighted upon the night of the full moon, and the night after full moon, but during the first three days of the first and last quarters of the moon, all lamps shall be lighted irrespective of the same.

"In the all night schedule the following shall be the time for lighting and extinguishing: All lamps shall be lighted every night in each month one-half hour after sunset and extinguished one hour before sunrise, except in the night of the full moon, and the night after the full moon, when no lamps shall be lighted.

"It is the intention of this bid that the hours for moonlight schedule shall approximate 2200 hours per annum and that all night lighting shall approximate 2800 hours per annum."

John A. Britton, manager of the company, was present and answered a number of questions by Councilmen. When the bid had been read by Clerk Thompson Mr. Britton remarked that the all night schedule would not cost the city any more than the rate at present in vogue, according to the hourly schedule. The rate quoted, \$7.25 per light per month, was, he said, the cheapest of any city in California with the exception of Los Angeles.

Councilman Howard suggested that the bid be considered under suspension of the rules as he had collected some information of which he would like the Council to have the benefit, and on the motion of Councilman Fitzgerald, seconded by Councilman Wallace, the Council went into Committee of the Whole with Councilman Elliot in the chair.

Councilman Howard then showed on a blackboard that the maximum expense the city would be under for the current year for 712 lamps at 3 and 65-100ths per lamp would be \$64,500 for 2200 lamp hours per annum. Under the all night and every night plan the city would get 65 per cent more, or 2800 lamp hours per annum for \$61,944, or about \$2500 less money.

Mr. Howard, when he had concluded, recommended that the Council pass a resolution instructing the City Attorney to draw an order accepting the bid in so far as it provided for an all night and every night schedule. The committee then rose and reported progress, and then passed the resolution.

FIRST MOVE FOR A GREATER CITY.

FRUITVALE IS ANXIOUS TO BE ANNEXED TO OAKLAND.

The thin end of the wedge looking to a Greater Oakland of the future was inserted at last night's meeting of the City Council when that body decided to take under advisement in Committee of the Whole at next meeting the petition of a number of property owners of a section of land in Fruitvale adjoining the City of Oakland and lying between the tracks of the Southern Pacific on the south and Hopkins street on the north, for annexation.

J. C. McMullen, president of the State Savings Bank of Fruitvale was present to urge the prayer of the petition. In reply to Councilman Wallace, Mr. McMullen said that a petition in Oakland had been signed by the requisite number, 2500. He continued: "I think if you decide to annex, as you will have no reason to be ashamed of us. We have been very much handicapped by the sewer district in that section. Ten years ago we organized a sewer district and the taxes have been very severe for seven years. During the last two or three years several have been built. I have a sixty foot house on Twenty-seventh street and I think if the sewer were made by the city it would cost about \$1.00 per foot, yet I have paid \$44 a year for ten years and there are ten years more to pay. It is a recognized fact that these outlying towns ought to be annexed. Alameda and Berkeley ought to be annexed to Oakland and if I were a young man I would certainly work to that end. Lately I visited New York, Boston and Philadelphia and the smaller towns surrounding these cities. I found had all been annexed. We want to have street lights, police protection, school facilities and macadamized streets. There are I think about 1000 people and 250 voters in the section."

Chairman Elliot pointed out that an election would be necessary both in the city and in the district proposed to be annexed. As a special election would cost Oakland about \$4000 he asked Mr. McMullen if he was sure the Oakland voters would cast their ballots for annexation.

Mr. McMullen said that the canvasser had informed him that ninety-nine out of every one hundred of the Oakland voters would cast their ballots for it.

Councilman Fitzgerald asked, "If he election was called now how would you stand?"

Mr. McMullen replied: "I think we could carry it."

Councilman Aitken said he favored the granting the prayer of the petition as it was a beautiful slice of country that was proposed to be annexed.

On the motion of Mr. Fitzgerald he matter was taken under advisement as stated.

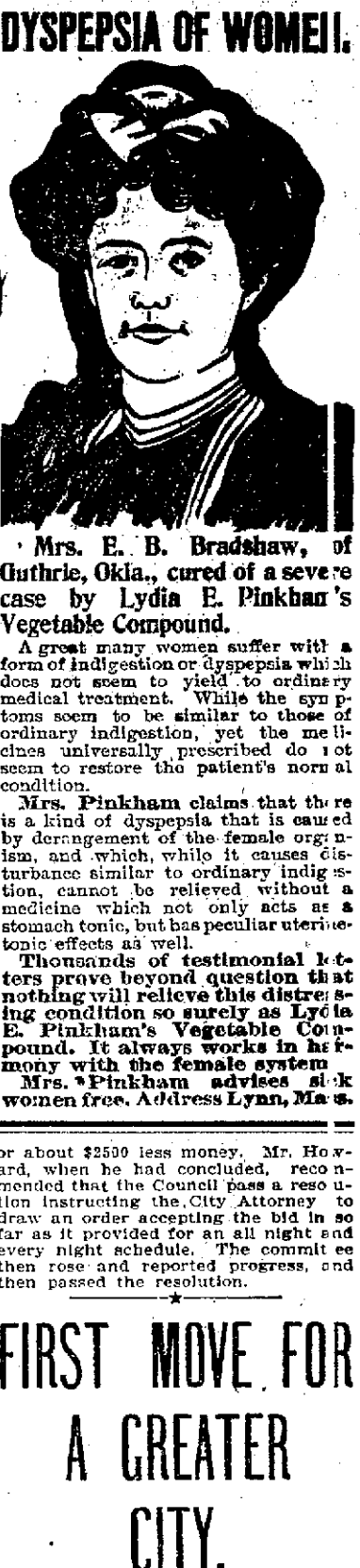
STOLE MANY LETTERS.

CHICAGO, May 26.—Frank Blake and Henry Hookens, who, during the last night months, are said to have stolen thousands of letters from mail boxes in all parts of the city, have been taken by Postoffice Inspectors Gerner and Scham. It is believed that the pair have stolen at least 25,000 letters and possibly secured thousands of dollars.

The men were caught in a room while engaged in opening letters. A letter postman was found two days later would open every mail box in the city. When surprised by the inspectors they fled, leaving a trail of letters in a mailbox, all mailed on Sunday. Many of them contained money and checks.

When taken before Councilman Humphrey Hookens charged \$5000 for the letters and was held to the Federal Grand Jury in \$5,000 bonds. The case against Blake was continued until May 29.

DYSPEPSIA OF WOMEN.



Mrs. E. B. Bradshaw, of Guthrie, Okla., cured of a severe case by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

A great many women suffer with a form of indigestion or dyspepsia which does not seem to yield to ordinary medical treatment. While the symptoms seem to be similar to those of ordinary indigestion, yet the medicines universally prescribed do not seem to restore the patient's normal condition.

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To change widths of sidewalks on Talcott avenue from fourteen feet to ten feet. Street Committee.

For sewer on East Nineteenth street from 22d street to East Twelfth street, second avenue to East Nineteenth street. Street Committee.

Of W. H. Dynas and others to sidewalk north side of East Twelfth street, between Twenty-fourth and Twenty-fifth avenues. Street Committee.

RESOLUTIONS.

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Placing 81 call men on duty in Fire Department on July 3 and 4 at a cost of \$480. Auditing and Finance Committee.

Authorizing the City Engineer to stake out center line of fifteen feet strip on Fourteenth avenue. Adopted.

Justifying the an electric light be placed at Fifty-fifth and Grove streets. Street Committee.

Instructing the City Engineer to draw plans and specifications and estimates of main outlet sewer along Thirtieth street. Street Committee.

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Granting 60 days' extension of time for the improvement of First street, between Washington and Castro streets. Adopted.

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A RIDICULOUS FAKE. THE DEVIL WAGON RACE.

The laugh appears to be on those Southern whites who sent money and jewelry to Lulu Spence, or Hadley, as her right name is, because of her alleged discharge for refusing to make up the bed in which Booker Washington slept at an Indianapolis hotel. The landlord says the woman did make up Washington's bed and expressed the opinion that he was smarter than most white men. She found out she was to be discharged, however, for causes totally disconnected with Booker Washington's bed, and let herself down easily by saying she was discharged because she refused to make up the bed of the negro educator.

The shower of presents she received from the South was an unexpected windfall, and she encouraged it by sending out stories of negroes hankering about her house and insulting her. Here is what the landlord says:

"So far as the Spence woman being discharged because she refused to make his bed, there is not a word of truth in that. She knew she was to be discharged anyhow for an infringement of the rules, as the housekeeper told her so during my absence. She left on that account. Moreover, she did make Washington's bed after the first night he was there, and after she found he had been in the room talking to a reporter while she was at work, she told another chambermaid that Washington was there and that he knew a lot more than most white people. I can get an affidavit that she made this statement, so she is just playing on the sympathy of the Southern people in a shrewd manner."

Mr. Lawrence is preparing to give the woman's story a thorough airing. He says the Southern papers have been referring to her as a young girl, whereas she is a woman above forty, who has been married three times and who has three children living. Some of the Southern papers, in criticising the management of the hotel for entertaining Washington, have given it a political coloring, but Mr. Lawrence says so far as that feature is concerned, he is a Democrat, regardless of the fact that Washington was his guest.

When the golden stream from the South ceased, the woman tried another leg-pulling dodge, which she borrowed from the advance agent of the popular actress. She had herself robbed. She claimed that burglars had broken into her house and stolen \$1900 in money and jewels. Of course she suspected negroes of the crime. That was to fire the Southern heart to the extent of re-opening the Southern purse. After making an investigation the police reported that the alleged robbery was a clumsy fake. It was another grafting device.

Now that they are acquainted with the facts, the Southern people who allowed the Spence woman to victimize them ought to feel very cheap. Their exhibition of sympathy with a silly prejudice was bad enough, but it must be galling to their pride as well as their prejudices to find that they have been wasting their money and sympathy on a woman who in spite of her protestations did make up Washington's bed.

The merry, merry tornado has begun to devastate the East. Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri and Nebraska have all had a dose of the frisky cyclone, and the list of casualties is an imposing one. These visitations are pretty strong admonitions to emigrate to California, where a wind ever soft from the blue heaven blows, and the tornado is unknown.

The people of the Sacramento Valley have revived the scheme to improve the upper reaches of the Sacramento river for navigation purposes. Many years ago boats piled regularly as far up as Red Bluff, but the river has shoaled up greatly of late years, and the channel abounds in bars and snags. During high water boats used to ascend as far as Redding. No doubt a considerable benefit will be conferred to the sections immediately adjacent to the river by improving the stream for navigation purposes, but the importance the Sacramento once had as a highway of commerce can never be restored. Railroads now carry the bulk of the traffic and will continue to carry it. River transportation, except in certain articles, is declining everywhere. Rivers and canals operate to keep down freights, but the railroads do the business. That is as true of the Mississippi as it is of the Sacramento. The Missouri has almost ceased to be an avenue of transportation. On the Ohio the bulk of the freight by boat is coal and similar heavy commodities, which have to be moved slowly and cheaply. Improving the Sacramento is all well enough in its way, but no great results will flow from it.

The Russian press suddenly became stirred up by the alleged Moslem outrage in Macedonia and Albania. This long range indignation at cruelty and persecution does not look so well when compared with the indifference exhibited toward outrages much better verified.

THE COTTON SITUATION. Chips from Other Blocks.

With the largest acreage ever planted now under crop, cotton is higher in price than it has been since the Franco-German war broke the price to 5 cents a pound. Spot cotton sells for over 11 cents a pound in New York, and the supply is limited at that. Quotations for June and July delivery are steadily rising.

The new crop will not begin to come in before September. In the meantime speculators have cornered the bulk of the supply, and have caught the market short on futures. Thus prices are forced up by artificial as well as natural shortage. It is a rise that does not benefit the growers a particle. They parted with their crop some months ago at prices ranging between 7 and 9 cents a pound. Less than 8 cents a pound was received by the planters for the bulk of their crop. Nevertheless they sold at remunerative figures, and their profits were enhanced by the extraordinary high price of cotton seed, which averaged \$15.00 a ton at the gin.

A number of mills have been compelled to shut down because of the scarcity and high price of the raw staple. Many spinners who have sold their product in advance without having laid in a sufficient supply of cotton are making their deliveries at a loss. They are delivering goods with 11-cent cotton at prices figured on a basis of 8 cents for the raw material. The speculators are reaping a profit at the expense of legitimate industry.

Two short crops are primarily responsible for the present shortage. They followed two excessively large crops, each of which yielded a considerable surplus above the demands for consumption with the spinning capacity and market demand larger than ever before, the stock of cotton in sight is smaller than it has been in twenty years. This condition has so stiffened prices that this season's deliveries are held at high figures in the face of a yield of upwards of 13,000,000 bales against 11,600,000 last year.

Again, the world's dependence on the United States for its cotton supply has been signally demonstrated. After many years of persistent effort to promote cotton growing in that country, Mexico only raises 50,000 of the 100,000 bales her mills consume. In South America cotton growing is a commercial failure. Last year India produced \$40,000,000 worth of cotton, but it was all short staple and of color. Without the admixture of American or Egyptian cotton only the cheapest grades of cloth can be woven from it. Egypt produces a limited supply of high-grade long lint, but that country cannot propagate its own seed, which it is compelled to import every two or three years from the islands off the coast of South Carolina and Georgia. It appears, therefore, that this country is more a master of the cotton situation than it ever was.

Yesterday's dispatches contained accounts of mobs trying to lynch negroes in Idaho and Indiana, and of negroes being enslaved in Alabama by a perversion of the law in violation of the constitution. While we are protesting against persecution and race prejudice in Russia, let us not forget the beam in our own eye. There are barbarities at home to be reckoned with, barbarities that shame our boasted civilization.

The Alameda Argus sandwiches its sermons against knocking by little knocks at Oakland. Does our contemporary desire to figure as a horrible example?

General Joe Wheeler got the overview at the New Orleans Confederate reunion. There is no reason to believe any slight was intended the old hero, but the fact that he could be overlooked at all speaks volumes. Apparently he has become of very little account in the eyes of his Confederate compatriots. Why?

There is one cause for gratification at least in the tragic result of the great French automobile race. The fool-killer will have less work to do.

If all accounts are true the "Horse and Cart" Democratic Club of San Francisco has got the cart before the horse.

A SATISFACTION. I love my new alarm clock. It is a pleasure great To set the thing for half past 6 And help till half-past 8. —Washington Star.

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Here are the hoards of the mountains, Here are the fruits of the plain, Triumphs of muscle and brain.

Nations' whose glorying banners First in our wilds were unfurled, See what the lands we uncovered Yield for the weal of the world!

See, and exult in the promise Bright in the Western sun, That which the lands we built And all may inherit as one!

He sang a song of sunshine—the rain came rippin' down: They put him on a fence rail an' run him out o' town!

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CARNIVAL OF THE PYTHIANS IDORA PARK PRESENTED AN INTERESTING SCENE LAST NIGHT.

The fair and carnival of the Dirigo Company, No. 57, Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias opened at Idora Park last night amid a blaze of light and the flare of fire works. The long and the many exhibits were illuminated with countless electric lights, and these with the gay decorations made a gorgeous and attractive scene.

Director General Beck welcomed the thousands present in a neat little address. Many amusing and interesting features were in evidence. Among the most interesting was a large country store entirely constructed of logs. A. H. Schultz is in charge of the place and is assisted by a score of clerks, attired in all sorts of comical garbs. The Eagles' booth and the space of the Service Men of the Spanish War were conceded to be the most artistically decorated of the fair.

The fair will be continued until Sunday and the program arranged for the intervening days is as follows: Tuesday, Foresters' day; Wednesday, Knights of Pythias day and growing of the queen; Thursday, Eagles' day; Friday, San Francisco Knights of Pythias day; Saturday, Woodmen of the World day.

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AMUSEMENTS. DEWEY THEATER CARNIVAL WEEK May 25 to 31

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Berkeley and the State University

BACTERIA FARM RESTS WITH IMPROVEMENTS THEY ARE POPULAR IN HAYWARDS. BLIND EDITORS PUBLISH WONDERFUL WORK.

Protest Referred to Physicians— Trustees Hear Many Other Communications.

BERKELEY, May 26.—At the meeting of the Town Board of Trustees last night a communication signed by a large number of citizens against the establishment of the bacteria laboratory in the Grayson tract, was received and caused considerable discussion. Representatives of the company appeared to give their side of the story. They said that similar laboratories were allowed in the large Eastern cities and that no harm had ever come from them. They denied that they had been refused permission to establish a laboratory at Fruitvale, their reason for not building their factory there being the high price of the property.

Town Attorney Hayne, when referred to, gave it as his opinion that the board could take no action in the matter unless it pass an ordinance forbidding such a laboratory. The matter was finally referred to the Board of Health to report on the safety of such a laboratory. If the Board of Health pass judgment that the laboratory is a menace to the neighborhood, the Trustees will pass an ordinance prohibiting such an institution.

Deputy Coroner Streightoff appeared with a petition as long as his whiskers, asking that an electric light be placed on Stanford place near the Berkeley station, or transfer point of the Oakland Transit Company, from the main line to North Berkeley. This point in the very heart of the town is poorly lighted, much to the inconvenience of the residents of the northern end of town. The matter was referred to the Electric Light Committee.

The board of the North Berkeley Improvement Club asked the board to consider the offer of Captain Marston to purchase a lot and erect a fire house on the same for the North Berkeley Fire Company. The former president of the board has offered to advance

WORK OF BEAUTIFYING BERKELEY IS PROGRESSING FAVORABLY.

BERKELEY, May 26.—The work of improving Berkeley streets still goes on, thanks to the efforts of the efficient street committee. At last night's meeting of the board the following report was adopted.

In the matter of additional outfall to Parker street sewer, west of Calais street, we recommend that the clerk write to the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, requesting right of way across the right of way of the Northern Railway Company over Third street.

Petition of Oakland Transit Consolidated, to abandon certain streets: While we believe there would be no legal difficulty in now granting the petition to abandonment of tracks, we deem it wise as a matter of precaution, to postpone action until seventy days after the last town election, (April 13.)

Your committee asks further time on the petition of the Standard Soap Company, to close up certain portions of streets.

Repairs on Vine street near Grove. We recommend going back to within 75 feet of Louisiana street to commence said work.

Recommended that the width of sidewalk on Haste street, between Grove and Milvia streets be reduced from 14 to 12 feet.

That Ward street, from Adelino to Grove street, be graded, macadamized, etc.

That the culvert at junction of Cedar and Sacramento streets be continued to completion.

That the petition to sewer College avenue from Mr. Fee's property to south boundary line of the town, be granted.

That thirty days' notice for sidewalks, where not already laid, be sent to property owners, as follows:

On east side of Henry street between Cedar and Vine streets.

On south side of Cedar street between Shattuck avenue and Milvia street.

On east side of Milvia street between Cedar and Virginia streets.

On west side of Louisiana street between Vine and Virginia.



MR. AND MRS. H. P. NIELSEN.

HAYWARDS, May 26.—Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Nielsen are well known residents of Haywards. About three years ago they came here and purchased the Central Hotel on Castro and A streets. Within the past few weeks, the house has been entirely repapered and decorated. Mr. Nielsen is a prominent member of the Haywards chapters of the Foresters and Danish Society of Dania.

ILLS were ordered paid by the Town Board of Trustees last night:

Street Fund—Robert Kirby, \$32.00; Lew Rogers, \$43.35; Oakland Iron Works, \$17.80; J. N. Jacobson, \$72.00; E. Bruchman, \$28.00; West Berkeley Lumber Co., \$19.55; L. Koch, \$28.00; W. Suhl & Son, \$25.00; Ed. Schmidt, \$30.00.

General Fund—Brewton A. Jayne, \$75.00; Robert Edgar, \$125.00; M. L. Hanson, \$66.13; C. S. Merrill, \$100.00; W. Wells, \$85.00; C. R. Lord, \$100.00; E. Q. Turner, \$115.00; C. Engelbenson, \$75.00; F. H. Payne, \$60.00; C. S. T. Kerns, \$286.65; Chas. T. Kerns, \$58.35; James Kenney, \$150.00; Geo. E. Parker, \$10.00; J. C. Ray, \$40.00; J. B. Ryan, \$40.00; E. J. Gordon, \$30.00; Frank O'Brien, \$30.00; Wm. L. Beadle, \$30.00; Geo. E. Parker, \$20.00; B. P. Bull, \$30.00; A. M. Trueblood, \$30.00; M. S. Campbell, \$30.00; George Patton, \$30.00; C. E. Wittenberger, \$30.00; A. A. Shuman, \$30.00; James Edgar, \$30.00; C. R. McGowan, \$30.00; Otto A. Putzker, \$30.00; Samuel M. Coey, \$30.00; Wm. Van Housen, \$30.00; A. V. Le

Students of State Institute Edit "California News" Entirely By Themselves.

BERKELEY, May 26.—A book edited and written entirely by the blind students of the State Institute, "California News," has just been published. Everything in the book, from one cover to the other, is their own work, not a line having been written by an outsider; even the printing was done by the pupils of the other departments of the Institute, so that the work may be said to be exclusively the results of the inmates of the institution.

Every year the blind students issue the "California News," but never before have they attempted anything as elaborate as the present number. For some time they have been working on the plan of making plans for its publication. All of the writing has been done on the new touch machines, which have proved such an efficacious aid to the blind in their writing. The expenses of the book have been met by an entertainment given about a month ago and through the advertisements. By these means the students have met all of their expenses. When it is considered under what disadvantages the afflicted pupils have worked, "the book is a remarkable production, and one that would do credit to any body of students."

There is an interesting article contributed by Christine B. LaPorte, a graduate of the blind department, upon the life work of Charles T. Wilkinson, who had the honor of being blind from birth. The book is a history of the institution by Stanley Henderson, outlining the remarkable growth and wonderful development of the State Institute. A high tribute is paid by the young writer to the teachers who have done so much to lessen the burden of his affliction. There are several bright and well-written short stories by the younger pupils in the department, among them being "Murphy's First Report," by Charles Wells; "My Runaway Dog," Carl Schoenlar, a student in the intermediate class; "The Poppy," by Charles M. Conners, is a bright little piece, and "Life," a vignette, by John C. Dondoe, possesses literary merit.

The editor is R. W. Henderson, a student in the senior class. He has shown himself a brilliant man in the literary fields and well deserves the honor given him. He contributes several noteworthy articles. "Night Song" is a poem deserving mention. Mr. Henderson also contributes the humorous and touching work which Ella Wheeler Wilcox has done among the poor destitute children in the State.

Blind associates, citizens, friends of the work done by the primary department, Miss Edna T. Trime, also on the board, reviews the work done by the board.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

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HAYWARDS MAN IN TROUBLE FROM USING FORCE—NEW MARKET.

HAYWARDS, May 26.—Costello Montecosa was arrested yesterday morning on a charge of disturbing the peace, on a complaint sworn out by his father-in-law, Manuel Quintel. The families have been at odds since the death of his wife, who died in a little discussion and his wife became involved in a little discussion and his wife became involved in a little discussion and his wife became involved in a little discussion.

THE NEW BAKERY WILL OPEN UP—WELL KNOWN RESIDENTS RETURN.

GOLDEN GATE, May 26.—The small building which was recently moved in between Mrs. Kinkner's residence and the coal yard is soon to be occupied by the Home Bakery.

WEST END GIRL HAS BIG LEAD IN RACE FOR QUEEN OF PYTHIAS.

WEST BERKELEY, May 26.—It seems assured that Miss Mabel Hadlen, the pretty and popular West End girl will be the queen of the carnival which commenced yesterday at Idora Park and will continue all week. From Saturday noon until yesterday noon her friends worked hard for her success and the result was that she led by fully 3400 votes. At that time she had 11,616 votes and Miss Margaret Cooper of Oakland moved into second place with 8215 and Miss Harlow of East Berkeley was third with 7200.

EMERYVILLE, MAY 26.—The force of men at work laying concrete has been steadily increased every day and now fully fifty men are at work rusing the job to completion. The concrete is already laid to within a short distance of the Southern Pacific tracks and the whole of the excavation has been graded ready for the concrete. As soon as this is completed the men will be put to work elsewhere as it will be some time before the other end of the subway is finished so that the concrete can be laid.

MRS. SHAW PASSES AWAY AT ELMHURST—LOCAL TEAM WON AT BASEBALL.

The locals defeated a team of Oakland amateurs in a well played game of baseball Sunday afternoon on the Jones avenue diamond. The batteries for Elmhurst were Jean Harrier and Richard Williamson. Next Sunday the home team will play another Oakland aggregation.

FRUITVALE, MAY 26.—John Savello, manager of the large Morocco ranch on the Redwood road, saved the five occupants of a rig from a probable serious injury by stopping their runaway team Sunday afternoon. The party were Oakland people, taking a drive in the country. The horses took fright at something along the road, and coming past the Morocco place at a furious gallop. Mr. Savello happened to be out in front at the time, and, noting the danger, bravely sprang at the horses' heads. They shied into the roadside, but he managed to catch hold of the harness and stop the frightened animals after they had dragged him some distance. Mr. Savello was uninjured, and bashfully received the sincere thanks of the occupants of the rig, who refused to give their names. The horses ran into and injured two cows during their flight down the road.

SAN LEANDRO, MAY 26.—Tomorrow evening in St. Joseph's hall, the Farceurs of Oakland, assisted by Miss Louise Garcia will present "My Turn Next," an amusing farce. Besides the farce, "Woman's Rights," a laughable curtain raiser, will be given. The Farceurs is an organization of some of the dramatically inclined clerks of Abrahamson Brothers, Oakland. Last night they presented their play at the Ditz Opera House for the benefit of the sufferers of the recent massacres in Russia. William Duarte, a well known San Leandro young man, who is in the employ of Abrahamson Brothers, is managing the affair. The entertainment will close with a dance.

WILL EXAMINE DAIRIES.

BOARD OF HEALTH ASKS TO BE ALLOWED TO MAKE INVESTIGATIONS.

BERKELEY, May 26.—In the absence of Health Officer Payne, Dr. Rowell made the report of the Board of Health to the Trustees last night. The report was urgent in its three principal clauses. Dr. Rowell asked the Board to take some action in the matter of the sewers in West Berkeley. At the last meeting of the Board Trustees Hoff suggested that a sewer be built out beyond high water mark in the bay. This suggestion the Board of Health emphatically endorsed, as it considers the present sewer system a menace to the public health. In the matter of the bacteria laboratory in the Grayson tract, West Berkeley, the Board of Health asked that it be referred to their body. The third clause related to the inspection of milk and water supply of the dairies that supply the people of Berkeley with milk. As the report was only a verbal one no action was taken. Dr. Rowell was asked to submit a written report. This was filed with the Town Clerk today.

NEWS NOTES FROM ALLENDALE TOWN.

ALLENDALE, May 26.—The Redwood Social Club gave an entertainment and dance last Saturday night, which was very much enjoyed. The program was very amusing, consisting of mock trials, singing and dancing by Masters Ralph and Willie Stokes, songs and instrumental selections. After the program the young people danced until 12 o'clock and all spent a pleasant evening.

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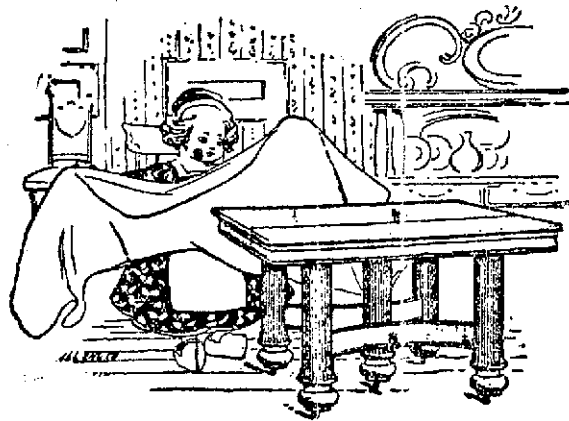
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SPIRITUALISM IN DR. COYLE NAMES THE CASE COMMITTEES.

LIVELY CONTEST IN COURT OVER WILL LEFT BY MRS. WALBRETH.

Goblins and ghosts and the spirits of the departed besides all the galaxy of fiends and furies registered in the blue book and their power over the human mind, it is expected, will convert Judge Hall's court room, in the next few days, into a veritable spiritualistic seance. There is a contest over the will of Margaret E. Walbreth, who left an estate valued at about \$300,000. Mrs. Walbreth was a devout believer in all the mysticism practiced by the Spiritualists, and when she died it was found that she had left the bulk of her estate to her co-religionists.

Judge J. De Haven, an old and trusted adviser of Mrs. Walbreth, was bequeathed certain sums, but aside from his bequests most of the estate went to Allan B. Cushing, Margaret Cushing, Miss Louise Larue, Curtis Larue, Grace Larue and Mrs. Sarah A. Maine, none of whom were bound by any ties of relationship to their benefactress, while Mrs. Mary E. Burnham, a niece, was cut off with the proverbial shilling. Now she intends to make a fuss.

She has brought suit to have the will of her aunt set aside. She complains that Margaret Walbreth was old and feeble and that the Spiritualists to whom she left her wealth practiced upon her imagination with their occult arts and persuaded her altogether out of reason's course in the matter to the extent that they inherited what should have gone to herself. The trial of the case was begun before Judge Hall this morning.

Mrs. Walbreth died on January 31st and left the legatees under her will as sole executors of her estate. Allan B. Cushing, as an executor of the estate, has answered the complaint of Mrs. Burnham and will contest the suit in the light that it is about to be made to break the will.

KILLED BY OUR SOLDIERS.

FANATICAL INSURGENTS GO DOWN BEFORE BULLETS.

MANILA, May 26.—Lieutenant Jagger, commanding a force of constabulary and volunteers, has defeated 200 fanatical insurgents in the island of Cebu, killing sixty-eight of them and capturing twenty-nine. The fight occurred in the mountains near Tabogon. No details of the engagement have been received and the government losses are not known.

DECORATION DAY EXCURSIONS.

On Friday, May 29th, the "North Shore" will run a special train at 8:15 P. M. to Cazadero, the Giant Redwoods and Russian River districts. Trains return Saturday or Sunday evenings, or Monday morning at 8:35 A. M. Other trains for California's most picturesque ride leave San Francisco at 8:00 A. M. for Cazadero, or 10:00 A. M. for Point Reyes and intermediate. Cottages and camping sites. Good hotels. Low excursion rates.

COTTON BROTHERS SUE.

HONOLULU, May 26.—Cotton Bros., contractors of Oakland, Cal., are being sued in the territory for \$25,000 damages, on account of the loss of a dredger in Pearl Harbor channel. The dredger had been loaned to the contractors and was lost during a storm last fall. Cotton Brothers tried to compromise with the territory but failed.

BOARD OF HOME MISSIONS MAKES ITS REPORT.

LOS ANGELES, May 26.—The commissioners to the Presbyterian General Assembly gathered at Immanuel Church promptly at 10 o'clock this morning for the opening session of what promised to be a busy day. After the usual preliminary ceremony of prayer and song, the assembly was called to order by Moderator Gov. and the report of the Board of Home Missions was taken up. The important subject of home missions and its corollary—evangelical work among the churches—occupied the morning session. This afternoon at 2 o'clock the report of the standing committee on aid for colleges was considered and discussed. Tonight, two large meetings of Presbyterians will be held in the interest of home missions, one at Immanuel Church, where Dr. Henry Van Dyke will preside and the other at the First Presbyterian Church, for the same purpose, at which R. N. Adams, D. D., will act as presiding officer.

Moderator Coyle has announced his appointment of chairmen of the various boards and standing committees. They are as follows: Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, bills and overtures; Rev. Dr. W. Mateer, judicial committee; Rev. Dr. R. W. Hollaway, home missions; Rev. Dr. John C. Antrim, reduction; Rev. Dr. Frederick L. D. D. publication and Sabbath school work; Rev. Dr. Charles Payson, chessman, missions for freedmen; Rev. Thomas F. Dixon, temperance; Rev. Dr. Peyton H. Hoge, theological seminaries; James Yoncoskie, mileage; E. B. Stringer, finance.

The chairman on polity, foreign missions, church erection and aid for colleges will be announced later today. When the business session of the assembly was opened this morning, Rev. W. W. Hollaway, of New Jersey, chairman of the board of home missions, presented the report of the committee.

The chairman was followed by the secretary of the board, Rev. Charles L. Thompson, D. D., of New York, who spoke at length upon the subject. Dr. Thompson's address was a long and forceful argument for the work of home missions, in which he took occasion to exhort the Mormon Church. Referring to that organization he said:

It is not to be educated, not to be civilized, not to be reformed—it must be crushed. No other organization is so perfect as the Mormon Church, except the German army."

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ROOSEVELT IS IN IDAHO

FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES TO VISIT DISTRICT.

WALLACE, Idaho, May 26.—In a down-pouring rain the train bearing President Roosevelt, the first President ever to visit Northern Idaho, rolled into the Northern Pacific station ten minutes ahead of schedule time at 7:20 this morning. Ten thousand people thronged the streets to greet the head executive of the nation. Senator Heyburn, who joined the Presidential party at the Idaho and Washington line, came from the car and introduced the President to the throng.

From the time the train came into view until after the President had entered his carriage with Secretary Loeb, Senator Heyburn and Mayor Connor, the crowd poured into the train bearing President Roosevelt, the first President ever to visit Northern Idaho, rolled into the Northern Pacific station ten minutes ahead of schedule time at 7:20 this morning. Ten thousand people thronged the streets to greet the head executive of the nation.

The President's carriage was preceded by the Spanish-American war veterans and members of the G. A. R. The carriage was well protected. Besides the Police Service men, were four mounted police and a bodyguard of the Spanish-American veterans. At the conclusion of the parade the President was tendered a reception at Senator Heyburn's residence, this lasting fifteen minutes.

From this point the procession moved to the City Park, where Senator Heyburn again introduced the President to the throng. At the same time presenting the souvenir, a small monument of steel, Galena copper, silver, gold and a gold nugget, all of which metal was extracted from the mines of the famous Coeur d'Alene mining district. President Roosevelt occupied half an hour in speaking, dwelling especially on the duties of good citizenship. He said:

"Your wet weather prevents me from talking on irrigation, which is greatly needed in the southern end of the State."

The President stood on the rear platform of the train, acknowledging cheers until the train had pulled around the curve on its way to Spokane.

IN HARRISON.

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GOOD WORK OF THE BOARD OF TRADE.

The arrangements for the Annual Banquet of the Oakland Board of Trade to be held in Maple Hall tomorrow evening are nearing completion. The banquet promises to be exceptionally well attended as the acceptance received by the Secretary up to noon today numbered one hundred and fifty.

While several prominent personages will speak, the committee having in charge the banquet of which Frank K. Mott is chairman, have decided to limit the speakers not to exceed ten minutes.

The Board of Trade will leave no stone unturned to make the exhibit of the products of Alameda County, at the St. Louis exposition a creditable one. The Supervisors in most of the other counties in the State have already made a tax levy for the purpose of furnishing sufficient funds to have their counties well represented and advertised at St. Louis. One or more counties were taxed last year as well as this year for the purpose of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors are anxious that Alameda County may have a creditable showing at the coming exposition.

At a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Oakland Board of Trade held this morning, the following action was taken:

"To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, California, introduced yesterday regarding labor and capital and constituting a Board of Arbitration, deeming it inexpedient to act on such questions. A resolution that consider considerable amusement was sent in by the local W. C. T. U. this morning. It condemned the 'inconsistency of Christian people and Christian ministers in stopping at hotels where liquor is sold and in employing from such hotels, caterers to give banquets. The resolution went to the Committee on Temperance and will be heard from later.

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OFFICIAL RECORDS.

MONDAY, MAY 25, 1903.

DEEDS.

May 18, 03—Rudolph Herold Jr. to Chauncey T. Foote, Oakland—Und 2-15 lot NE 13th and Brush N 64 x E 100, etc., \$10.
May 11, 03—Mrs. Julia & Joshua, Winton to Thos A & Joie Rogerson (wfs) E Old-Lots 1 and 2, blk 24, San Antonio, \$10.

May 9, 03—Jas R & Margaret A Little to Mary W Stevens w/ A C Berkeley—NE Grant and Bristol (now Hearst) N 220 E 100 S 45 W 50 S 135 W 50, etc., 42, and ptns lots 43 and 44, map of raten of lots 3 and 4, Hardy tract, \$100.
May 13, 03—State Savings Bank (cyn) to Geo Lydiken, Berkeley—Lots 62 and 64, blk 3, map Grove St Line tract, \$1.

May 28, 03—W H & Mary H Anderson to Mrs. Anna Witek, Bklyn Tp—1/2 acre beg on Bklyn Tp lot 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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NEW ROUND HOUSE WILL BE BUILT SOON—HOW STRIKE WAS SETTLED.

A new turntable has made its appearance at the West Oakland railroad yard from the Phoenix Steel Works in Pittsburgh and is being unloaded on the reclaimed land west of the machine shop. The arrival of the turntable and the place where it is being put has started talk of a new round house again.

It is known that the Southern Pacific Company intends to build a new and commodious round house and the arrival of the turntable looks very much as if it is to be constructed right away. It is said that the new structure is to be completed by early fall.

It will be a double round house, that is it will be two semi-circular buildings and will house close to 100 locomotives. It is to be made of steel and iron and contain all of the latest improvements. Each semi-circle will have its own turntable, one of which arrived yesterday. The latter are large steel structures and are operated by motors. The new round house will be built on the reclaimed land in the neighborhood of tower two.

HOW BOILER MAKERS' STRIKE WAS SETTLED.

The strike on the Union Pacific lines was settled by President Harman who sent a telegram to President McNeill, of the boiler makers' union, while en route to New York. The terms protect all employees, including the company, new employees and the old ones who will return to work. The strike on the Union Pacific has been of nearly a year's duration and its settlement is a source of gratification all around. Following is the settlement sent by President Harman which settled the strike:

"Rather than permit a condition to be brought about whereby men's homes will be broken up and their families, wives and children be permitted to suffer through no fault of their own, I will recommend to Mr. Hurt, president of the Union Pacific, and suggest to you for consideration the following:

"The sympathetic boiler makers' strike on the Southern Pacific and other lines is to be called off; matter of piecework to be left to the men themselves, and those already employed and to be employed hereafter by the Union Pacific, and piecework not to be further extended on the Union Pacific and to be abandoned at the end of four months. If so determined upon by a representative of the company and the men; if they cannot agree, it to be referred to other representatives not directly engaged in managing the road or the strike; the piecework system not to be extended on the Southern Pacific or other lines, except after conference and agreement with the boiler makers; no discrimination to be made against former employees on the Union Pacific when places are to be filled, and no discrimination to be made on account of their accepting temporarily the piecework or not, and any adjustment thereof to be determined between representatives as above provided.

"In lieu of this call off the strike, both sympathetic and non-sympathetic as above stated, and refer the whole Union Pacific controversy in its present condition to arbitration to be agreed upon. On account of present conditions, important that I see you all in New York not later than Monday next. Please arrange."

NOTES AND PERSONALS GATHERED ABOUT THE YARD.

Ed Ludlow of the machine shop is laying off for a few days rest.

John McKinnon is off for a few days on account of sickness. He is employed in the machine shop.

John Robinson of the machine shop will leave in a few days for Ogden and Salt Lake.

Chas. Rador has returned from the Needles and expects to leave again shortly for St. Louis.

Scott Piggett, who had his arm pulled off in the boiler shop a week ago is much improved and was discharged from the hospital yesterday. He returned to his home here.

A BRIEF VACATION.

TO BEAUTIFUL LAKE TAHOE.

A daylight excursion to Lake Tahoe is fixed for May 29th, returning May 31st. This gives a whole day at the lake. The round trip costs but \$8.50, and tickets are good to return until June 21st by any regular train excepting No. 1. The train leaves Friday 8 a. m. and reaches San Francisco Sunday 7 p. m. Special train carries dining-car.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose Railway will be held at the principal office of said corporation, said principal office being situated at number 705 San Pablo Avenue, Oakland, Alameda County, California, on FRIDAY, the 12th day of June, A. D. 1903, at the hour of four o'clock P. M. of said day, said meeting being held for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

SANFORD J. TAYLOR,
Secretary of the San Francisco, Oakland and San Jose Railway.

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